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FRENCH AIR MISSION TO SOVIET

Crack Pilots Led By Air Minister.

EVENT OF POLITICAL SIGNIFICANCE

Paris, To-day.—Led by the Air Minister, M. Pierreot, an important French aerial mission starts for Moscow to-day.

The mission, which is taking three of the most modern French planes, includes crack airmen like Codos and Rossi, who hold the non-stop long distance record.

Political observers attach great significance to the expedition, which follows an extensive tour of Russia by M. Henriot, who conferred with Soviet leaders.—Reuter.

LONG-DISTANCE FLIGHT.

Polish Pilots Attempt To Beat Record.

Warsaw, To-day.—Two Poles, Colonel Filipowicz, Director of Civil Aviation, and Captain Lewdnievski, took off at 10.50 a.m. yesterday, over Soviet territory, on an attempt to establish a new world long-distance flight record.—Reuter.

The existing record of 5,657 miles is at present held by the French fliers, MM. Codos and Rossi, who on August 7, landed at Rayak, Syria, having flown from New York in 64½ hours, thus beating the British R. A. F. record of 5,340 miles from Cranwell, England, to Walvis Bay, South Africa, established on February 9.

IRAQ'S DEAD KING GOES HOME.

Full Military Honours Accorded.

London, to-day.—With full military honours, the body of the late King Faisal of Iraq was embarked in the British cruiser "Despatch" at Brindisi yesterday afternoon for transport to Haifa. It will be conveyed from Haifa to Baghdad in a Royal Air Force aeroplane.—British Wireless Service.

JAMES MARION APPOINTED U.S. MINISTER TO SIAM

Washington.—James Marion, banker of South Carolina, has been appointed minister to Siam. Quarantine restrictions imposed by Bangkok against arrivals from Hong Kong on account of small-pox have been removed.

RESERVOIRS FILLING

BENEFICIAL EFFECT OF RAINFALL

No Relaxation Of Island Restrictions.

STORAGE INCREASES.

From to-morrow morning, Kowloon will have a full supply of water, but no relaxation of the restrictions on the Island is to be made, according to information received from Mr. A. M. Purves, maintenance engineer of the Waterworks Department, this afternoon. The reservoirs on the mainland are expected to be fully and overflowing by to-morrow or Thursday, as the result of the heavy rains of the past two days.

The storage in the Island impounds at 6 a.m. to-day, was 1,561,000,000 gallons as compared with 1,447,000,000 gallons at 6 a.m. yesterday, an increase of 114,000,000. It is expected that a similar amount will be added within the next few days.

Although the Island reaps no immediate benefit from the storm as far as hours of supply are concerned, Mr. Purves stated that the increase in storage would alleviate the necessity of imposing further restrictions for some time.

Owing to the squally nature of the weather, the rainfall on different parts of the Islands for the 24 hours ending 6 a.m. this morning, showed considerable variation. Aberdeen registered the maximum figure of 5.9 inches, while only 4.75 inches were recorded at Tiatum.

The total capacity of the Island reservoirs is 2,387,000,000 gallons, thus 826,000,000 gallons more were needed at 6 a.m. to-day to fill them. The heavy storms during this morning will add appreciably to the yield.

Rainfall in the Colony during the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day amounted to 4.89 inches, it is stated in a weather report issued by the Royal Observatory.

The total rainfall since January 1, is 45.99 inches, against an average of 69.92 inches.

WEATHER FORECAST

The typhoon has increased considerably in intensity and, at 6 a.m. this morning was situated about 120 miles southwest of Hong Kong moving west-north-west or west. It is stated in the weather report issued by the Royal Observatory this morning.

Cloudy, with rain squalls and strong easterly winds, moderating, is forecasted.

STORM HAVOC IN WEST INDIES.

Outlying Islands Suffer Severely.

15 KILLED IN HURRICANE

London, To-day.—The Governor of Jamaica reports that the hurricane of August 30 caused serious damage in the outlying islands of the Turks and Caicos groups. The Commissioner reports that 15 lives were lost and 75 houses destroyed. Relief measures are being taken.—British Wireless Service.

MEDITERRANEAN FLEET MOVEMENTS

British Destroyers To Cruise Along Persian Gulf

London, To-day.—The First Destroyer Flotilla of the Mediterranean Fleet, which is now at Aden, will carry out a further cruise along the south shores of the Persian Gulf, paying its periodical visit to the Shells of Bahrain, Muskat, Quatre, Koweit and others. The Persian and Iraq Governments have been informed of the proposed visit.—British Wireless Service.

10,000 U.S. COAL MINERS GO ON STRIKE

60,000 To Force Code On Owners.

RECOVERY PROGRAMME DIFFICULTIES

Washington, To-day.

As a further step for providing banking credit, President Roosevelt was yesterday in conference with the Treasury, the Federal Reserve and the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, regarding the ensuring of the nation's needs under the expansion programme.

No announcement has yet been made, but the Governor of the Federal Reserve Board stated that the banks, while demanding adequate security, would continue to meet the situation.

The Coal Code and the Retail Price Code are at present in the forefront.

Miners in West Pennsylvania have decided to spur the owners to accept the Coal Code by calling a meeting to-morrow, representing 60,000 men, to discuss a general coal strike unless prompt agreement is reached. This means bowing to the Code.

Ten thousand miners are already on strike, while owners and Union officials are conferring in Washington. Despite the plea for postponement made by consumers, the Reconstruction Administration Board are making utmost efforts to complete for signature, this week, the Retail Code, maintaining prices at least 10 per cent. over the invoice cost.—Reuter.

HIGHER PRICES IN AMERICA.

Rise Predicted By Statistician.

New York, To-day.

Higher prices for United States stocks, during the coming months, are forecasted by Mr. Roger Ward Babson, the prominent United States statistician and economist. This rise will be due either to the success of the Recovery Programme or to inflationary stimulus, declares Mr. Babson.

He states that sales in many areas are increasing, and predicts that cotton and wheat will continue to strengthen. He adds that the Securities Act must probably be modified as a business aid.—United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

PREMIER LEAVES BALMORAL

Royal Visit Ended

London, To-day.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, who has been the guest of the King and Queen since last Wednesday, left Balmorall Castle yesterday for Castleknock. It is expected that he will return to London towards the end of the week.—British Wireless Service.

FIVE INCHES OF RAIN SINCE SUNDAY NIGHT

63 Miles An Hour Gale.

TYPHOON PASSES 80 MILES FROM COLONY

Interesting data on the typhoon which threatened the Colony throughout yesterday, and which formed on Sunday about 100 miles from Hong Kong, was this morning released by the Royal Observatory.

According to the statement, there were faint indications of the formation of a typhoon between the Pratas and the Ballintang Channel on the afternoon of Sunday, September 10. The receipt of the Pratas observations, at 6 a.m. on Monday, established its existence beyond doubt, about 50 miles west of the Pratas.

It did not appear to be of great intensity, and this was confirmed in the course of yesterday, for although the barometer fell steadily until 5 p.m., at no time was sustained gale force reached by the wind, although many squalls between 50 and 60 miles per hour occurred.

The highest wind velocity was 63 miles per hour, at 5.20 p.m. yesterday. It was at this time that the typhoon was nearest to the Colony, that is, about 80 miles south by west.

It is significant that the barometer has been practically steady in Hong Kong since 7 p.m. yesterday and that the sustained force of the wind has considerably increased, indicating that the typhoon has increased considerably in intensity. It is now situated about 120 miles south-west of the Colony, moving west or west-north-west.

The total rainfall from midnight on Sunday to 10.30 a.m. to-day, was 5.11 inches.

PORTHOS MEETS THE TYPHOON

Runs Into Storm Off Macao.

BERTHS AT 8 A.M. AFTER BATTLE WITH STORM

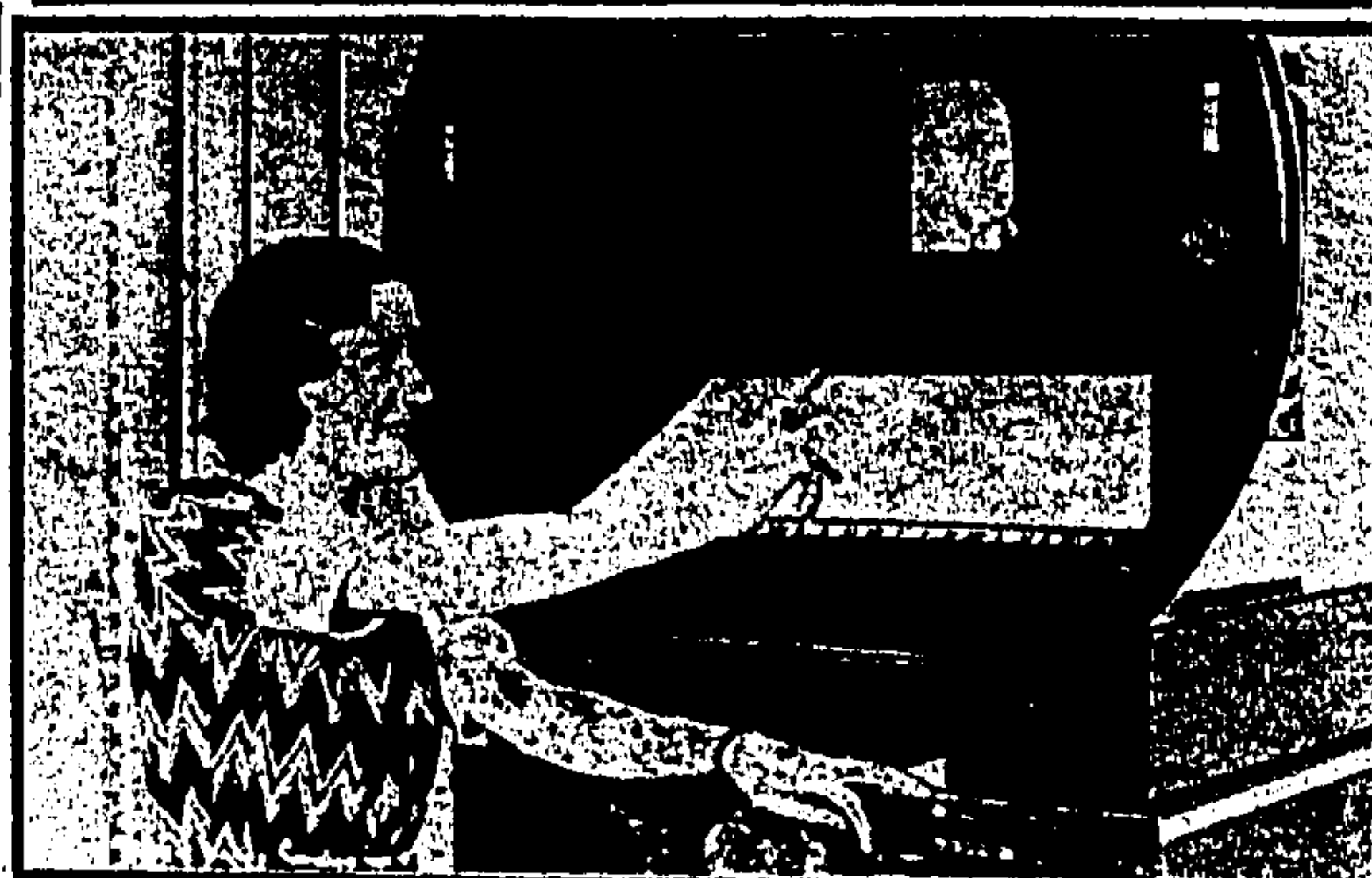
The Messageries Maritimes liner Porthos, which arrived in port this morning, met the full force of the typhoon when about 80 miles south-west of Hong Kong.

Captain J. Clarice, commander of the Porthos, stated, in an interview this morning, that when the ship ran into the centre of the typhoon the weather was perfectly calm, with no wind, for about an hour, but that later on she encountered cyclonic winds, with high seas and torrential rains, the direction of the wind being towards Macao.

At 3 a.m. the ship was near the Gap Rock, travelling north 40 deg. east. At Linsing Island her course was altered to due north. At 5.44 a.m. in the vicinity of Lamma Island, the Porthos was stopped, and (Continued on page 12.)

Pilot Leaps From Plane; Hurled Back Into Cockpit

The unparalleled experience of leaping from an aeroplane and falling back into the seat of the cockpit, before flight instructor, Captain Robert Macpherson, was yesterday repeated by a pilot who was hurled out of his plane and landed safely in the cockpit.



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SILVER AT \$1.38 AN OUNCE SAYS PITTMAN

U.S. Dollars In Solid Silver Coin.

ROOSEVELT AND CONGRESS EXPECTED TO AGREE

Salt Lake City, To-day.

Silver at U.S. \$1.38 per ounce is envisaged by Senator Key Pittman, Chairman of the United States Senate Foreign Relations Committee at the World Economic Conference.

Senator Pittman predicted this ultimate price when leaving here for Washington, yesterday. On Sunday he forecasted the price of silver at U.S.\$1.19 per ounce.

He expressed hope that President Roosevelt would adopt his recommendation to coin solid silver dollars instead of the present coin containing 26 cents worth of silver.

In the event of the President's powers being insufficient to accomplish this, Senator Pittman predicts that Congress will adopt the recommendation. He declared that silver should receive the same treatment as cotton and wheat.—United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

NANKING'S OFFER TO CANTON

\$15,000,000 To Abolish South-West Councils.

SHARE FROM AMERICAN LOAN

Shanghai, To-day.

It is authoritatively learned that the Nanking Government "suggests" to Canton, the appropriation of \$15,000,000 from the proceeds of the American Cotton and Wheat Loan for economic developments in Kwangtung, if the Canton Government agrees to abolish the existing South-west Political and Executive Councils.

It is believed that a detailed discussion on this suggestion is in progress between the Central authorities and the Canton residential representative at Nanking.—Central News Agency.

ANTI-GERMAN BITTERNESS IN FRANCE

Threat Of Reprisals If Einstein Hurt.

100 JEWISH STUDENTS FORM BODYGUARD

Paris To-day.

If a hair of Professor Einstein's head were touched, German hostages marked down in Paris would answer for it, declared M. Bernard Lecache, when presiding over a crowded meeting at the Salle Wagram at which two French criminal lawyers made impassioned pleas for the defence of the accused in the Reichstag fire trial, which they were not allowed to make at Leipzig.

A clamour for names followed M. Lecache's declaration, but the chairman refused to give them. Brawls outside the hall caused by people unable to gain entrance resulted in the detention of a score of people, including one Englishman.

One hundred Jewish science students in England are forming a voluntary bodyguard for Professor Einstein during his stay in England.—Reuter.

VATICAN SUPPORT FOR JEWS.

Must Be Treated With Christian Charity.

CONCORDAT STIPULATION.

Rome, To-day.

That Jews must be treated with Christian charity is the injunction the Vatican has transmitted to Germany in a memorandum accompanying the ratification of the Concordat between the Vatican State and Germany. The treatment of Roman Catholics is likewise mentioned. The Reich has indicated its readiness to confer the points raised in the memorandum.

It is believed that the rumour of a hitch over the ratification arose from the fact that the Vatican wished the memorandum to form an annex to the Concordat.—Reuter.

\$270,000 WINDFALL FOR EXCHEQUER

Big Death Duties On Bankers' Estates

London, To-day.

Death duties amounting to over \$270,000 will be payable on the estate of Mr. Robert Fleming, head of the firm of London Merchant Bankers, who died in July. The gross value of his estate is estimated at \$2,174,000.—British Wireless Service.

U.S. ANXIETY IN CUBA

NATIONAL HOTEL USED AS REFUGE

Cubans Resentful Of U.S. Warships.

"AGAINST IMPERIALISM OF ALL FORMS"

Havana, To-day.

The United States Ambassador, Mr. H. Sumner Welles, his family, and other Americans, and 400 Cuban officers who left their commands when the latest revolution broke out, are staying at the National Hotel, here, under the protection of the 14-inch guns of the American battleship "Mississippi," which carries a crew of 900 Blue-jackets and a company of Marines. The Cuban public are resentful of the presence of the 39 American warships in Cuban waters, but they appear to believe that the fear of offending Latin-American sentiment will restrain the United States Government from armed intervention.

President Grau San Martin, in a statement made yesterday, declared: "We desire American friendship based on absolute liberty for Cuba. We are not anti-American, but we are against imperialism in all forms."—Reuter.

Hotel Stops Food Supplies.

EMPLOYEES DESERT.

Havana, later.

Leaving the guests, including Mr. Welles and many Army officers without service, all the employees of the National Hotel, were yesterday walked out. No reason for the desertion is stated, but rumours are rife in the city of the expectation of something happening.

When wives and friends of the officers started bringing food to the soldiers on duty outside the building, the hotel stopped further supplies. The Officers in the hotel thereupon issued a proclamation to the people denying the rumours that they were trying to provoke American intervention. It is reported that scores of rifles, small arms and ammunition have been smuggled to the National Hotel, concealed under chassis of motor-cars.—Reuter.

"Reds" Cause Concern.

With the Communists showing themselves, the cause of the deep concern of the United States in the Cuban situation is more evident.

Intervention seemed closer as the United States cruiser, Richmond, and the destroyer Bainbridge arrived in Havana harbour and anchored near the destroyer McFarland, which has been here since the first day of the recent revolt.

Despite the disapproval of Communist sympathies by the government committee, Dr. San Martin, in a statement to the United Press, voiced the same "anti-imperialistic" sentiments as the Communists, although in milder form.

Reasons Cited.

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TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 855 metres (845 K.C.'s):—

1 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.
1.30 p.m.—A relay of the Rotary Club Tiffin Speech from the Gloucester Restaurant—Rotarian T. B. Wilson on "Some Observations on the Rotary International Convention at Boston and the Work of Rotary Headquarters."

2 p.m. (approx.)—Close Down.
Relay of the S.W.B.'s Band To-night.
4.30-7 p.m.—Chinese recorded programme.
7-10.30 p.m.—European programme.
7 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.

7.3-7.45 p.m.—Second Concerto (Rachmaninoff, Op. 18)

Sergei Rachmaninoff with Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orch. M-55.

7.45-8.30 p.m.—Variety.

8 p.m.—(Local Time & Weather Report).

Duet for Two Pianos—Ragamuffin Victor Arden & Phil Ohman 21928.

Vocal Duet—

Sometimes I'm Happy Louise Groody & Charles King 20609

Orchestral—

Ev'ry Time My Heart Beats Ted Black & His Orchestra 22082.

Instrumental—

O Sole Mio (My Sunshine) Neapolitan Trio 20248.

Song—

The Sweetheart of Sigma Chi Gene Austin (Tenor) 20977.

Orchestral—

By a Rippling Stream Johnny Hamp & His Orch. 22899.

Banjo Solo—

St. Louis Blues Eddie Peabody 20698.

Duet for Two Pianos—

Dance of the Paper Dolls Victor Arden & Phil Ohman 21928.

Chorus—

Nalleluhah! The Revelers 20603.

Orchestral—

My Love Went Kisses Ted Black & His Orchestra 22082.

Song—

Are You Happy? Gene Austin (Tenor) 20977.

Orchestral—

Cabin in the Cotton Johnny Hamp & His Orch. 22899.

Banjo Solo—

Doll Dance Eddie Peabody 20698.

8.30-10 p.m.—A relay of the Band of the 1st B.A. S.W.B., conducted by Bandmaster J. L. Gecks, from Mount Austin Barracks, by kind permission of the Officer Commanding. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio).

10.10-10.30 p.m.—Concert Items.

Violin Solo—

Vocalise (Rachmaninoff-Press) Caprice in E Flat Major (Wieniawski-Kreisler)

Mitscha Elman 1364.

Song—

The Cuckoo (Lehmann) I Know a Lovely Garden (Teichmayer-D'Hardelot)

Maria Jeritza (Soprano) 1301.

Piano Solo—

Cradle Song (Brahms) Under the Palms (Albeniz)

Alfred Cortot 1271.

Song—

Calling Me Back to You (Seaver) When Twilight Comes, I'm Thinking of You (Tandler-Horne)

John McCormack (Tenor) 1107.

Cello Solo—

Intermezzo (Vivaldi) Pablo Casals 1542.

1.30 p.m.—To-day's Opening 10 a.m. Stock & Commodity Quotations as received from New York by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson & Fritz.

10.35 p.m.—Close Down.

All records in the above European programme are kindly supplied by Messrs. Tsang Fook Piano Co.

LOCAL STORES MUST STAY "DRY"

U.S. Attorney-General's Ruling

Madison, Wisconsin. If licking stamps in the local grocery and general store makes one develop a thirst, that thirst cannot be assuaged on the premises, according to an opinion given by the United States Attorney-General, Mr. James E. Finnegan.

"Beer and the United States mail cannot be handled in the same establishment," says Mr. Finnegan. "A tavern licence may not be granted to a grocery store in which is located a branch of the United States Post Office.—Reuter.

ROUND HONG KONG'S CINEMA THEATRES

MAIL REVIEW

"IT'S GREAT TO BE ALIVE,"—KING'S THEATRE.

"It's Great To Be Alive," the new Fox musical comedy now showing at the King's Theatre, features, Raul Roulien, idol of the South American stage and screen, who has the stellar role, and is surrounded by a large group of performers that include all of the most beautiful women of the Hollywood film colony.

The story concerns itself with the strange situation of one solitary male in a world of millions of women. All men but this one are wiped off the globe, and the conjecture about "the last man on earth" becomes a reality. The fact that this one man happens to be a popular aviator, who has been cast away on a desert island, is said to contribute heavily to the hilarity.

The supporting cast is headed by Gloria Stuart, Edna May Oliver and Herbert Mundin, and includes Joan Marsh, Dorothy Burgess, Emma Dunn, Edward Van Sloan and Robert Grieg.

More than one hundred of Hollywood's most gorgeous girls take part in the production.

MAIL REVIEW

"PEG O' MY HEART,"—QUEEN'S THEATRE.

All the Irish whimsy of the famous stage play has been deftly captured in the making of the new Marion Davies starring vehicle, "Peg O' My Heart," which is now showing at the Queen's Theatre.

The charm of the little Celtic lass we knew so well in the theatre when Laurette Taylor played in it has been carefully retained by Miss Davies in her splendid performance.

Onslow Stevens, who will be remembered for his performance in "Once in a Lifetime," is the leading man in the film.

Robert Z. Leonard directed the picture, from J. Hartley Manners' memorable play.

The story moves with straightforward clarity and departs only in trifling incidents from the original theme. The dialogue is sprightly, especially when spoken in the infectious brogue adopted for the characterisation by Miss Davies.

Included in the cast are J. Farrell MacDonald, Juliette Campbell, Irene Browne, Tyrrell Davis, Allan Mowbray, Doris Lloyd, Robert Grieg and others.

MAIL REVIEW

"HOT PEPPER,"—ORIENTAL THEATRE.

Our old friends Quirt and Flagg, tough Rabelaisian rivals of "What Price Glory?" have handed in their Marine kit and broken into the Great White Way, one as a boss bootlegger, and the other as a gentleman of leisure, living on his wife with no other armament than a fake police badge, in this fast action comedy at the Oriental Theatre.

Piquant little Miss Lupe Velez breezes stormily into the picture as a South American stowaway on one of Flagg's run-running fleet, to turn cabaret dancer and provide the inevitable subject of the old comrades' amatory tangles.

MAIL REVIEW

"HELL'S HOUSE,"—CENTRAL THEATRE

Pat O'Brien, Junior Durkin, Junior Coghlan and Bette Davies, are among the notable players featured in "Hell's House," now showing at the Central Theatre.

It is a story of the experiences of a young boy in a State Reformatory to which he has been sent for refusing to give information to the police about a bootlegger whom he hero-worships.

Pat O'Brien as a wise-cracking bootlegger gives a fine characterization, and Junior Durkin, in the role of Jimmy Mason, plays a part which calls for great dramatic ability.

MAIL REVIEW

"BIRD OF PARADISE,"—MAJESTIC THEATRE.

"Bird of Paradise" now showing at the Majestic Theatre, is a new and elaborate talkie version of the story made familiar twenty years ago on the stage.

King Vidor produced the film. Dolores del Rio looks darkly decorative, the settings are quite lovely, and the glimpses of native life interesting. Joel McCrea is the ideal young man for the part of the girl's white lover.

MARY MILES MINTER SNUBS JUDGE.

Refuses To Prosecute Her Mother.

Los Angeles, California. Mary Miles Minter has indignantly refused to prosecute her mother, Mrs. Charlotte Shelby, on charges of defrauding her of large sums of money and has denounced Superior Judge C. S. Burnell for having recommended that an investigation should be made of Mrs. Shelby's financial transactions.

The Judge's recommendation was made when he sentenced Leslie B. Henry, a former broker and financial adviser for Mrs. Shelby, to serve from 2 to 24 years in San Quentin on charges of embezzling \$40,000 from Mrs. Shelby. Judge Burnell linked Mrs. Shelby with the loss and said she was "equally guilty in some respects."

Summoned to the office of the District Attorney for a conference to learn whether she would prosecute her mother, the former screen comedienne said she had become reconciled with her mother and added it would be a "shabby performance" to carry out the Judge's recommendation.

"My attitude is that the remarks of Judge Burnell are uncalled for and constitute an impediment in the way of the administration of justice," Miss Minter said.—Reuter.

SIESTA ON RAIL TRACK.

Sleeper's Lucky Escape From Death.

Butte, Montana. George Andrews, 27, of Sappington, Montana, picked the middle of the Milwaukee railway tracks for his afternoon nap.

Before the engineer could set his brakes, a speeding west-bound passenger train had passed over him. Members of the train crew rushed back to find Andrews' injuries limited to a scalp wound and a broken arm.

BRIDGE NOTES

DUPLICATION OF VALUES

Many slam bids fail on account of what is known as duplication of values. Players who rely upon systems value their hands by an arithmetical count or in terms of quick or honour tricks. When the points count up to a certain total or when there are eight honour tricks indicated by the bidding between the two hands the slam is called, but often these slams fail to mature because of the duplication factor. Sometimes it happens that 12 or 13 tricks are there if only the Declarer could call a lead. But he cannot. And he loses a trick or two tricks before he can get to work, and his winners tumble over one another eventually.

Duplication is of two kinds. The duplication of losing cards in partner's hand and the duplication of value in both hands. It may occur when partner has supported on trumps alone with little ruffing power in his hand, and you cannot make your trumps separately. The adversaries see to that. You have opened on four of the suit and your partner has five on which he has supported correctly. But the opponents open trumps and reduce your ruffing possibilities. Or as constantly happens, you are void or have the Ace bare in the suit your partner bids.

Here is an example from play:—

Y: Spades—3
Hearts—8
Diamonds—K Q J 10
Clubs—K Q J 10 6 5
A: Spades—K 9 8 5
Hearts—Q 10 6
Diamond—A 9 7 3
Clubs—9 4
B: Spades—10 7 6 4
Hearts—None
Diamonds—6 5 4 2
Clubs—8 7 3 2
Z: Spades—A Q J
Hearts—A K J 7 5 4 3 2
Diamonds—8
Club—A.

Score game all, love all. Z deals and bids Two Hearts; A No Bid; Y Three Clubs; B No Bid; Z Six Hearts. All pass.

Although the little slam after Y's bid of Three Clubs looked justifiable, Z did not allow for the possible difficulty of entering Y's hand in time nor for the possible loss of a Heart and a Diamond. A opened with his Ace of Diamonds and followed with a Club and Z was one down.

Another example illustrates still better:—

Y: Spades—4 2
Hearts—A K J 8
Diamonds—A J 10 9 4
Club—K Q
Z: Spades—A K Q J 9 8 7 6 5 8
Hearts—None
Diamonds—K Q
Clubs—2

On this hand at score game all, love all, Z dealt and bid Five Spades; A No Bid; Y Seven Spades; B Not bid; Z No Bid A Double; all passed.

The hand, of course, is a freak, but no one can blame Y with four and a half honour tricks in his hand advancing to grand slam. He might well suppose that Z held the Ace of Clubs, but he happened to hold the King and Queen of Diamonds instead. A, with the lead and Ace of Clubs in his hand, took his chance of the double. Obviously, if he had not held it and had led any other suit except Clubs Z would have succeeded, as he had tricks "to burn."

The point to notice is that, although the hand might have been more subtly called, it is not possible to find serious fault with the bidding of Y and Z. It is true Y might have contented himself with

U. S. BID FOR SOUTH AMERICAN TRADE

Significant Diplomatic Appointment.

MR. H. GIBSON FOR BRAZIL

Washington. When Mr. Hugh Gibson, generally rated one of the most experienced American diplomats was shifted from Brussels to Brazil by President Roosevelt in his administration, it struck some Washington observers as odd.

Mr. Gibson's years of experience with the problem of Disarmament, at a time when it seemed that the Roosevelt administration was setting out with high hopes to get somewhere in the Disarmament field, appeared indispensable.

But Diplomatic and trade circles in Washington are looking upon Mr. Gibson's appointment to Rio de Janeiro as a significant move in the Roosevelt administration's intention to do all possible in recapturing for the United States' export trade the once lucrative markets of South America.

Since he is well schooled in the statecraft and trade practices of this country's commercial rivals, the possibility of concluding with Brazil an agreement for reciprocal trade favours to build up commerce between the two great national entities of North and South America may be Mr. Gibson's mission at Rio.—Reuter.

CZECHO-SLOVAKIA'S NEW RULES.

No Written Speeches In Parliament.

Prague. Deputies in the Czecho-Slovakian Parliament will not, in future, be allowed to read their speeches.

This is to be enforced by a new Parliamentary order, because it is alleged that in the past Deputies have read their speeches without thinking what they have been saying.

On several occasions they have made, in the middle of a speech, such remarks as: "At this point I laugh ironically."

In addition, groundless absence from more than five plenary sessions of the Chamber will be punished by suspension of one month's salary, and official publication of the fact.

Continued absence will bring with it suspension of six months' salary, and publication of the fact in the official press.—Reuter.

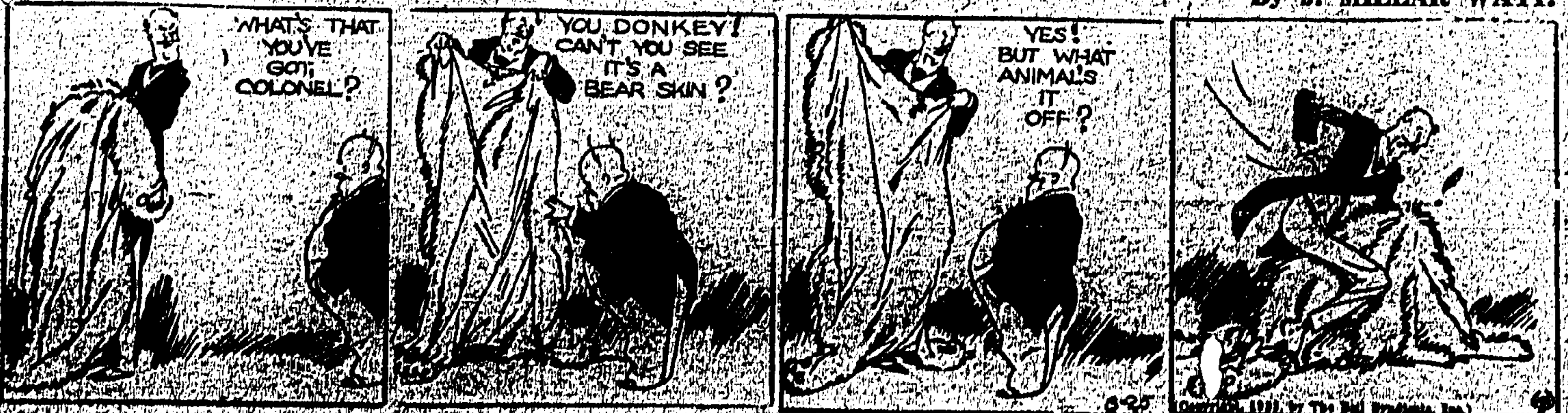
A little slam declaration, but every one must admit that on his hand the grand slam appeared likely. Make Z bare in Clubs instead of Hearts and all is well, or give Y the Ace of Clubs instead of the Ace of Hearts and the grand slam is there. As it was the values were duplicated.

"Often," writes Mr. Hal Sims, "the bidding will tell you that you are in danger of running afoul of the duplicate peril."

Thus:—
Y: Spades—K 5
Hearts—K Q 8 7
Diamonds—K Q 10 7 4
Clubs—10 5
Z: Spades—A J 7 4
Hearts—A 9 6 5 2
Diamonds—A
Clubs—J 7

Z bids One Spade; A No bid; Y Two Diamonds; B No bid; Z Your Hearts. Z now knows that he has first round control of three suits, that the trump suit is solid and that he can get at least two discards on the Diamonds. Yet he cannot advance even to a little slam because of the Club menace. He can bid Five Hearts, but Y also cannot bid the slam because he can foresee the duplicate peril in Clubs and Diamonds.

POP — Natural History Class Dismissed In A Riot.



Aviation, Engineering and Building

WORLD RUN BY
ENGINEERS

This Mechanical Age.

The influence of engineers and the importance of their work in the daily life and the future prospects of the world were emphasised by speakers at the eightieth anniversary festival dinner of the London Association of Engineers recently.

Mr. E. Brown, M.P., Secretary for Mines, proposing the toast "The Engineering Industry," said that engineers, through their great machines, had given to the world beauty, variety and power.

The question was: Could humanity find the courage and character to use the great gifts of engineering and allied industries for the common wealth of the universe?

Up to the beginning of the eighteenth century the largest machine was one of one-tenth horsepower. The great works of the world were all done then with man as the prime engine. Now there were machines up to 300,000 horsepower in size.

Men must see that machine were not used to lower the standard of their lives but to raise it.

Mr. A. E. L. Chorlton, M.P., President of the Institution of Mechanical Engineers, said engineering was to-day the most important feature of modern life. The common needs of the people, including such services as water, gas, drainage, electricity, and transport, were all dependent on engineering.

Sir Philip Dawson, the chairman, proposing "Success to the Association," said the industries that were suffering most to-day were the heavy industries. New ideas were needed. What was wanted was not safety, but courage with caution.

How The Macon Was Refined

Designer Describes The Structure Changes

BETTER STREAMLINING OBTAINED

Four questions have been put to me in regard to the airship Macon, writes Dr. Karl Arnstein, Zeppelin designer.

How does the Macon differ from the Akron?

Since the two ships are identical in size and power plant, how was the speed of the Macon stepped up?

How much weight will be saved and where in the second ship?

How important is the indicated improvement in speed and weight?

Any man who has built a house is apt to think afterward of a number of things he would have done differently if he were to build the house over again—or to build a second house—changes that would make it more convenient and habitable. We have had the opportunity to build a second house.

Improvements Involved Major Alterations.

The Akron and Macon were to be almost three times as large as any ship previously built in the world. A number of major improvements were to be incorporated. Placing the engines and an airplane hangar within the body of the ship and the use of swiveling propellers were perhaps the most spectacular, but there were many others, each involving major design problems. Our first job on Akron was to see that these new features worked out as expected.

That accomplished, we could seek to perfect and improve these features on later ships—just as the designers of airplanes do.

The test flights of the Akron and its later operations showed that the swiveling propellers did give direct vertical thrust, upward or downward, facilitating take-offs, permitting landings to be made when the ship came in light without valving helium. The engine installation was effective. Airplanes were able to land to the ship and leave it at intervals of a few minutes.

One of our jobs on the Macon was to get a better streamlining effect; to clean up the ship. This was done by putting cowling around the outriggers, substituting several small ventilating hoods for each large one over each gas cell and fairing the radiators into the side of the ship.

Take the new radiators, for instance. In former airships where the engines were outside the ship, the radiator had the conventional mounting. But with the engines on the new ship placed inside we had to install a special radiation system. The radiators were mounted on the propeller shafts. Naturally, they constituted some drag.

In the Macon the radiators were built into a structure shaped like half an egg, placed against the ship's side. When closed, these radiators offer practically no resistance to the air stream. Open, the air stream passes through the "eggshell," emerging at a smaller opening in the rear, with little drag effect. Shutters, something like the louvers of a 1933 type automobile, enable the engine tender to regulate the air flow, getting just the amount of cooling he needs. When any engine is stopped, the radiator is closed, keeping the water warm in still air. The former radiators set up resistance whether the engine was running or not. Also, taking the radiator off the outrigger removed it from vibration and any tendency to spring a leak.

New Radiation System Obtains Greater Speed.

The new radiation system, by cutting resistance, should affect fuel consumption, enabling the airship to cover more miles with a given fuel supply or to carry more fuel on its cruises.

The whole streamline programme on the Macon, plus some improvement in propellers, plus perhaps a little better workmanship on the outer cover, due to the experience gained by the workmen on the first ship—all these have contributed to the result of getting higher speed out of the same power plant.

Every piece of material or equipment that went onto the ship was weighed and we know that the Macon will be several tons lighter than the Akron. Simplification of interior design in the crew's quarters, service quarters and elsewhere has helped.

Speed is helpful in enabling the ship to move quickly away from unfavourable weather or to avoid a storm area.

Other changes in the Macon are a complete redesign of the electrical system, including radio, telephone and generating plant. There were upward of 100 changes in all, mostly matters of detail.

MID-ATLANTIC AIR PORT.

Floating Isle Completed.

New York.

The Norfolk (Virginia) Associated Company have completed the construction of the floating island, which is to be used as a port for aircraft on the Transatlantic route. The island will be anchored during 1934 between the American coast and the Spanish coast about 500 miles from Norfolk. It will be capable of accommodating 800 passengers and a crew of 125 men. According to ideas now in the course of execution, three more islands will be anchored eventually to the West or the Azores and a fifth one between the Azores and either Vigo or Lisbon.

NEW PRACTICE OF RENT CUTS

Owners Urged To Cease
Lowering Prospects.

RIDICULOUS LOW LEVEL.

New York.

Eugene C. Quinlan, of Quinlan & Graef, renting agents, believes that the time has come for building owners to make a stand on rent schedules. Mr. Quinlan sees more trouble and then, more trouble, unless an owner maintains a bolder front and refuses to be browbeaten by every prospect who seeks space in his building. The nightmare of every building owner, no matter what type of structure it may be, is price—rent.

"Every building has its own peculiarities which must be taken into consideration," Mr. Quinlan said. "Among these we find probably first, location; accessibility to transportation facilities, proximity to certain trade districts and particular types of businesses, etc. Following closely on this is the type of building; desirability of space in general, and in detail within the particular building involving light, air and facility of division into offices or lofts. Then, there is the consideration of service offered the tenant by the landlord compared to the service offered by other buildings. In addition there must be borne in mind the type of tenancy which characterizes the particular building, and last but not least must be considered the age and appeal of the building as an attraction to prospective tenants.

"All of these facts must be borne in mind along with investment, carry charges, operating expenses, and the depressed condition of general business of determining a rental schedule paid to the landlord and tenant. The well rented building can afford to stand its ground on prices and still maintain operation.

Scores Temporary Leases.

"An unwarranted price-cutting practice is brought about through the granting of temporary leases. All landlords should unite and ban the month-to-month lease with the corresponding sacrificing of price and allow no tenant to remain as such under the period of one year as an absolute minimum.

"It is these malpractices which are depressing prices to a level which is by no means justified even to-day. Until the landlords acknowledge these conditions and remedy them by accepting responsible tenants on reasonable terms only based on an equitable appraisal of each building's worth to-day, there is no hope for a general stabilization of prices and a fair share of business for all."

UNIQUE PUMPING EQUIPMENT.

Special Use On New
Docks In Southampton.

The pumping equipment on the Southern Railway Company's new graving dock at Southampton, is unique in its character, since the scheme demands it should perform three separate functions, all automatically controlled.

Broadly, the duty of this pumping plant will be, first, to de-water the graving dock and so leave the ship high and dry when required; secondly, to impound water, that is to maintain a level of water in the wet basin when tide is falling; and thirdly, to deal with the storm water that comes down from the hills behind Southampton.

Up to the present this has had a free natural flow into the sea at the point where the great docks and wharves are being constructed. The new works will prevent this free flow, and so artificial means of discharging will be required.

To perform these varied functions the plant will consist of four 54-in. pumps and three 18-in. pumps, with an output of 24 million gallons per hour.

As all are to be arranged so that any or all are to be able to do any of the various duties, a very elaborate interconnecting system of valves and pipes is required. The pumping equipment is being made by Lincoln Arm, Messrs. Gwynne Pumps Ltd.

New Theatre For Soochow

Y.M.C.A. Constructing
Talking Cinema.

Construction of modern motion picture houses in China is not particularly confined to Shanghai. Several new houses are being built in other cities of the country, indicating Chinese interest in the movies is rapidly increasing.

The latest modern theater of this sort, to be constructed soon, is reported by The Allied Architects, 40 Ningpo Road, a firm composed of Messrs. Shen Chao, B. Chih Chen and Chui-Tung, American trained architects.

This structure is the new Y. M. C. A. cinema in Soochow, scheduled for completion in about four months. While it will not be a large theater, having a seating capacity of only 1,000, it will be an excellent cinema for the showing of talking pictures to the residents of Soochow.

NEW LANDING FIELD AT CHUNGKING.

Military Aerodrome
Inconvenient.

Nanking.

Work will begin immediately on the construction of a new landing field at Chungking, Szechwan, for the commercial planes of the China National Aviation Corporation.

The military aerodrome at Chungking, which is being used by the Corporation at present, is too far from the city and is therefore inconvenient for passengers and for the delivery of mail matter. A suitable site has now been found at Sanhupa, a suburb of the city, and General Liu Hsiang has been requested, through the Ministry of Communications, to accord all facilities.

ELECTRICITY FROM ATMOSPHERE.

Belgrade Engineer's
Claim.

EXPERTS PROBE DISCOVERY.

Belgrade.

A Belgrade engineer claims to have invented a machine which can extract and utilise the electricity of the atmosphere—an invention which, if it succeeds, may change the whole future of mankind.

This engineer, Alexander Jashek, has after 15 years' research—produced a complicated machine whose lamps burn night and day with electric energy which is stated to be derived from the air.

Jashek claims that the world is nothing more than a huge magnetic motor, turning in the universe and producing enormous quantities of electric energy which have never yet been harnessed.

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" Heart	" 1.20	20
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" Shoulder	" 45	26
" Saddle	" 45	26
Pig's Chittlings	lb. 30	27
" Brains	per set 5	20
" Feet	lb. 18	16
" Fry	" 30	16
" Head	" 18	10
" Kidneys	each 15	10
" Liver	lb. 50	80
Pork Chop	" 36	26
" Loin	" 42	20
" Leg	" 36	60
" Fat or Lard	" 23	21
Sheep's Head & Feet	per set 50	60
" Heart	each 15	8
" Kidneys	" 15	12
" Liver	" 45	26
Sucking Pigs, to order	lb. 25	25
Suet, Beef	" 24	20
Suet, Pork	" 33	20
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Veal	" 42	20
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" No. 1	" 32	20
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Crabs	" 35	16
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" Yellow	" 82	10
Frogs	" 60	25
Grouper	" 80	25
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Hallbut	" 30	18
Lobsters	" 70	62
Mackerel	" 38	32
Mullet	" 38	18
Oysters	" 35	12
Perch	" 23	30
Pike	" 40	10
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Pomfret	" 50	38
Pomfret, Black	" 40	38
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Rosch	" 80	88
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Shark	" 18	8
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Turbot, small fresh	" 88	18
Water	" 65	18
Soles	" 85	28
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Chickens	lb. 60	30
Capons, Small	" 58	30
" Large	" 60	28
Duck	33	22
Doves	each 30	22
Eggs, Hen (cooking)	per doz. 38	18
Eggs, Hen (fresh)	" 40	26
Fowls, Hainan	lb. 62	85
" Canton	" 60	—
Geese	" 30	23
Pigeons, Canton	each 32	80
" Hoihow	" 28	20
Turkeys, Cock	lb. 75	—
" Hen	" 70	61
Snipe	each 22	—
Pheasant	pair 230	2.50
Quail	each 40	—
Partridges	" 1.20	—
FRUITS.		
Almonds	lb. 1.00	35
Apples (California)	" 30	28
Bananas (bride's)	" 6	4
Carambola	" 18	12
Coconuts	each 14	10
Lemons, China	lb. 12	25
Lemons, American	each 12	10
Lichees, Dried	lb. 1.20	25
Oranges (Canton)	" 12	—
Pears (Canton)	" 14	10
Peanuts	" 14	10
Persimmons, Large	" 14	12
Pumelo, Siam	each 14	12
Walnuts	lb. 20	—
Grapes	" 50	—
VEGETABLES, ETC.		
Artichokes	each —	—
Beans, Sprout	lb. 5	—
" Long	" 10	—
Beet Root	" 12	—
Brinjals, Green	" 8	5
" Red	" 6	5
Cabbage, (Shanghai)	" 10	12
Cauliflower (Large)	each —	—
" (Medium)	" 6	—
" (Small)	" 6	—
Carrots	lb. 8	5
Celery, Chinese	" 10	10
Chillies, Dried	" 13	25
" Red	" 15	10
" Green	" 8	8
Curry Stuff, English	" 10	8
Cucumbers	" 8	2
Garlic	" 10	7
Ginger, Young	" 10	7
" Old	" 8	20
Horseradish, S'hal	" 60	8
Indian Corn	each 9	—
Lettuce	lb. 3	1
Okroos	" 12	1
Onions, Bombay	" 8	8
" Green	" 6	4
" Shinghal	" 6	6
Puraley	" 1.20	60
Potato, Sweet	" 5	8
" Japanese	" 8	8
" American	" 5	4
Pumpkin	" 5	4
Radish	" 8	8
Phubarb (Fresh)	" 8	8
Spinach	" 16	4
Tomatoes	" 6	4
Turkies, Pant	" 8	4
Vegetable Marrow	" 15	15
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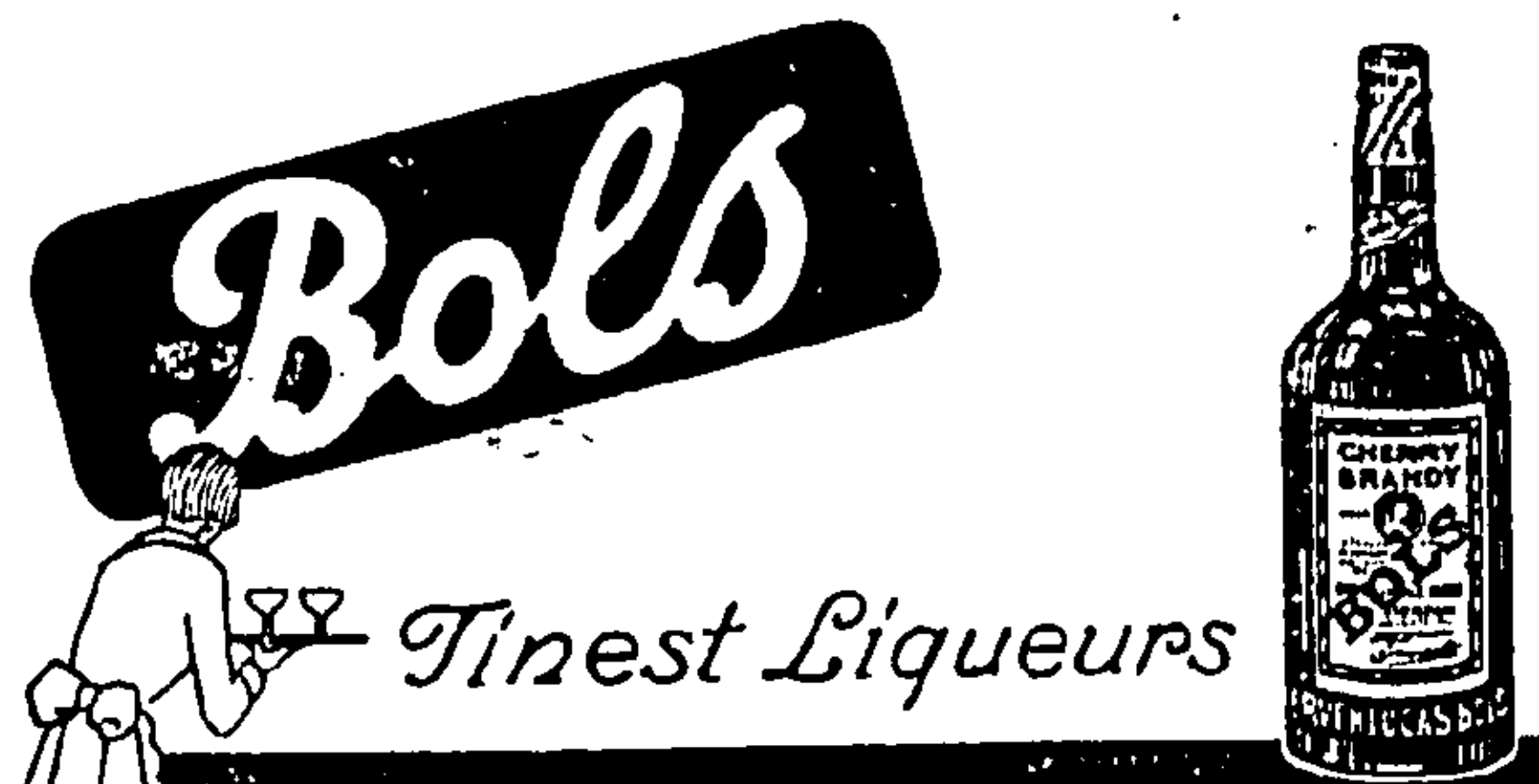
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Closer Union In The West Indies.

Some political theorists may be disappointed at the extreme caution of the recommendations of Sir Charles Fergusson and Sir Charles Orr in their Report on the closer political union in the West Indies. Looking only at the map and especially if it be a small scale and local affairs, and that the map—the theorist naturally assumes that the West Indies offer a perfect field for a scheme of federation. For what, he argues, would take no part in the administration of any of the units, but wasteful than a multitude of his assent would be required to Governors, Presidents, and Executive Bills and he would be armed executive and Legislative Councils pursuing their independent courses without relation to one another. What is not realised, of course, is the individual history of the "Sugar Islands," as they used to be called, their intense "nationalism," the different composition of their populations, and, above all, the great sea distances dividing the islands and the difficulty of inter-communication. There has, indeed, been vague talk of West Indian Federation, or closer union, for years, but only as a distant ideal, which it will still remain even if the main recommendation of this Report is adopted. It is proposed to make a modest beginning by uniting into one colony—the British Caribbean Islands—under a Governor with headquarters at St. Lucia, the islands at present forming the Colonies of the Leeward and the Windwards. These all belong to the Lesser Antilles, and geographically Barbados is one of the same group. But Barbados is very much "on its own," and resolved to remain so, and the same is true of Trinidad, with its small sister, Tobago, which the Commission found to be entirely opposed to any scheme of closer political union with the smaller islands to the north. Everywhere, in fact, it was discovered that for closer union to be acceptable it must promise economy in administration and other advantages, and "in no case entail the absorption of their own island by some larger unit or the destruction of its own individuality." It is the old story of the extreme attachment to local "State rights," which has had to be overcome in the case of all federations the world over. A loose sort of federation already exists in the Leeward Islands, but in the Windwards, though "far more politically conscious" than the Leewards, except Dominica, little enthusiasm was displayed for any scheme of closer union. Yet there was much criticism of the existing system

and the usual readiness to assume that with fuller self-government present economic difficulties might have been lessened. On the other hand, it is well worth noting—especially in view of the new Colonial policy of the Socialist party—that the witnesses who expressed the strongest opposition to any form of self-government at this stage were coloured or of direct African descent. The proposal is that each island in the two groups should be united should retain its own autonomy, enacting its own laws, and regulating its own finance. The theoretical democratic objection is obvious, but the real question is whether it would tend to good government, and on that head the Commissioners speak without hesitation. Doubtless, the weight of instructed West Indian opinion will largely determine the Government's attitude to this Report.

The Leopard's Spots.

Lions are tawny; tigers and zebras are striped; leopards are spotted; many birds, worms and insects are green; everything that crawls, swims or flies has a colouring peculiar to its species. Mimicry was Darwin's explanation. Animals attempt to elude their enemies by assuming the appearance of their surroundings. There are exceptions to the rule. The peacock struts with a tail outspread in glory, but the peacock is drab. Some harmless butterflies are terrifyingly conspicuous. To explain these anomalies evolutionists have invoked sex appeal and the acquired ability to appear dangerous. But Major R. W. G. Hingston, a British naturalist of note, has his own views, which he sets forth in his new work on "The Meaning of Animal Coloration." Every creature is a compound of fear and anger. Behaviour, colour-pattern, and structure proclaim it. If a venomous snake is luridly coloured, it is for the purpose of striking terror; if it is dull coloured, it is because of fear. The conflict with nature is also a conflict within the living organism itself. Hingston bids us look at the lion—so good an imitation of its surroundings that he can steal upon a deer. Arouse him, and he becomes a living advertisement of rage. His black mane stands up; he lashes a black-tufted tail; he throws forward two ears with black patches upon them. All his manner dimples, he shows his conspicuous teeth; his ears rotate and hide his

HERE, THERE and EVERYWHERE

La Grande Chartreuse
Familiar to everybody is the tiny glass which holds the precious nectar—green or yellow—of La Grande Chartreuse. As the poet sang:

Who could refuse
Green-eyed Chartreuse?
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Turks, Christians, or Jews;
For beggar or Queen,
For monk or for dean....
Gay little fellow,
Dressed up in green.

The monks who made the world-famous liqueur are demanding the return of their monastery near Grenoble, which was sequestered by the French Government in 1904. The manufacture brought the monks an annual income of \$100,000, a great deal of which was spent in charity.

Vinous Statistics

In May this year people in the United Kingdom drank 78,744 more bottles of champagne than during May last year. Approximately 31,000 gallons were consumed last month, as against 18,000 a year before.

Sherry, too, shows an enormous increase of 306,000 bottles this May as compared with last, and all wines are "up" with the exceptions of Port, Sparkling Hock and Sparkling Moselle.

Your Daily Smile

POOR FELLOW:
A deaf man regained his hearing in a cinema. Wireless crooners will have to be broken to him later.

"CAME HE DOWN."

A film has been produced showing the growth of a moustache.

Not Medicinal

CUSTOMER: Have you anything besides Chait's corn syrup?
GROCER: Why, no, but that's the best brand that comes.

CUSTOMER: Well, it never does me any good—I took six cans of it and my corns are as bad as ever.

EXPLAINED.

More widows than widowers marry again. Dead men tell no tales.

Facts You Did Not Know.

For use in tropical climates a British inventor has designed an automobile with body, running boards and fenders made of straw to keep its passengers cool.

Tests at the United States Bureau of Standards have indicated that the strength of steel building frames is increased 75 per cent. by incasing them in brick.

Diesel type engines have been run in Europe economically with explosions of coal dust, a meal made from the residue left from the manufacture of olive oil and wood flour.

black surfaces; his mane retracts behind the tawny fringe; his tail swishes cease. Or consider the Lasiocampid caterpillar. The two tufts of brightly coloured hair that it shoots forth when touched are to Hingston devices for intimidating the hungry lizards and birds. When alarmed a certain African mantid stands up, faces the enemy, opens its forelegs like outstretched arms and reveals a mass of alarming colour ordinarily concealed. One naturalist saw a monkey back away in fright at the spectacle. The peacock's parading before the peahen is not courtship but an expression of emotion and a threat to rivals. The enormous curved horns of some wild animals are of no great practical use in battle, but they have their value as psychological weapons of intimidation. Hingston is not the first to depart from the Darwinian explanation of protective coloration. If he stands apart, it is because few are able to match him in the wealth of evidence that he can muster in support of his theory. The great Darwin himself could hardly have done better. Yet the more skeptical biologists will demand evidence of a different kind. After all, we know little about the vision of animals or their response to their environment. We assume that insects, birds, serpents, leopards and monkeys can see with our eyes, hear with our ears, and make inferences like ours. But do they?

HOW CUBA WON HER FREEDOM

STORY OF FINAL REVOLT AGAINST SPAIN

TIMELY BOOK BY H. S. RUBENS,
"THE GREAT FRIEND OF CUBA"

"Liberty: The Story of Cuba" is the title of a true and authentic history of the Cuban revolution of 1895-1898, which freed the island from the dominion of Spain.

The book, which has recently been reviewed by Henry E. Armstrong, is the work of Horatio S. Rubens, a man whom no one is better qualified to tell the story of this colourful period in Cuba's history.

Mr. Rubens, one of New York's leading lawyers, for some time previous to the revolution acted as general counsel to the Cuban junta in New York. He early interested himself in Latin-American affairs, and from the first year of his practice was an active friend of the Cuban revolutionists. He enjoyed the confidence of Jose Marti, the master spirit of the movement for independence.

First Blow for Cuba

When Spanish strike-breakers in 1898 were brought from Havana to Key West, the seat of a Cuban cigar industry, Rubens was engaged by Marti, then living in New York City, to deal with what was a menace to the revolutionary cause, rather than an honest attempt to settle a labour dispute.

It was the suddenly assumed policy of the Spanish Government to control the local cigar industry and disperse the Cubans engaged in it. The importation of Spanish workers clearly violated the immigration laws.

Rubens went down to Key West to fight the battle of the cigarmakers, several of whom had been arrested on trumped-up charges.

Threatened with violence and warned to take the next steamer back to New York, he told a committee that waited on him in the middle of the night that he did not choose to go north and that he would not be intimidated.

The trial judge was hostile, but Rubens knew the law and was unafraid. In the end it was the judge who yielded. The prisoners were discharged, and the Spaniards lost their grip on the situation.

Mr. Rubens has received many honours from the Cuban Congress. To be known officially as "El Gran Amigo de Cuba" and to be recognized as the adopted son of Havana and of other cities are no small distinctions. Ingratitude is not a Cuban vice.

Marti, Supreme Patriot

The author's sketch of Marti was much needed. No Cuban made greater sacrifices in the movement for independence, and at last he gave up his life on the field of Dos Rios on May 19, 1895, after a landing with Maximino Gomez near Baracoa.

Marti had been named as Major General of the patriot forces. He fell in a surprise attack by a Spanish column.

Born in Havana in 1853, of Spanish parents, he was a rebel at heart as a boy. For publishing seditious articles at the age of 16 he was deported to Spain, where with ball and chain he worked in quarries.

On his release he entered the University of Madrid, was graduated and prepared for the bar at the University of Salamanca.

Always a brilliant student, he seemed to have been tamed and chastened by his bitter experience as a political felon and was permitted to return to Cuba. His stay was brief. Unreconstructed, he was soon at odds with the authorities and had to flee the island.

For several years he lived in Mexico and Central and South America, subsequently finding his way to New York, where he lived by writing as a newspaper free lance and doing consular work for Uruguay, Paraguay and Argentina.

The author says of him: "It was a stamp of Marti's genius for amalgamating men's minds and hearts that he could weld liberation clubs throughout the United States, Central and South America, Mexico, Haiti, Santo Domingo, Jamaica, and even France, not only into a smooth and harmonious whole, but could continue an active direction of it notwithstanding the difficulties of distance. He had an appalling capacity for hard work. He was markedly sustained in his utter nervous expenditure. His working day was eighteen hours. He wrote

all his letters in longhand, because he believed the personal touch was indispensable."

The money Marti earned by writing he spent in travelling to cities where Cubans were living, to talk to them individually and at mass meetings about the wrongs of Cuba and the righteousness of revolt.

With funds raised by the clubs he sent confidential messengers into Cuba to get the latest intelligence of conditions and to assure veterans of the Ten Years' War that there would be funds to provide arms and ammunition for the next rising.

Magnetic in personal contact, he was exceedingly clever in winning strangers to the cause of Cuba Libre by letter.

"Marti," we are told, "was of medium height. His fine brown eyes had the dreamy quality that often reflects the true poetic temperament, though, under stress of emotion, they could dart flame."

This was the leader who fell in the first skirmish in Oriente in which he faced the enemy on the field. The loss to Cuba was incalculable.

A Portrait Gallery

In the gallery of portraits in this book are other captains who did not fear their fate too much and "dared to put it to the touch, to gain or lose it all": the strategist Maximino Gomez, a native of Santo Domingo, as tenacious as he was wise, the grand old man of the revolution; Antonio Maceo, of Negro blood, who outwitted and outfought the Spaniards from the Trocha to Pinar del Rio, to fall at last in making his way through the Trocha between Majana and Mariel; his brother, Jose Maceo, who could never have enough fighting and died of wounds received in the battle of Loma del Gato; Calixto Garcia, the indefatigable veteran of the Ten Years' War, who had made a landing with an expedition in the last revolt, captured many cities, was continuously victor over the Spaniards, in five days fought twenty-three engagements, and in the final insurrection forced Generals Luque and Linares to retreat to Holguin early in 1898; and Jesus Rabi, a rough-and-ready fighter, who was a descendant of the Si-boney Indians. The campaigns of these leaders are described in detail.

General Gomez, once being asked how he expected to win the revolution with his ragged, half-starved and fever-stricken forces, replied: "With these oxen we must plow." He opposed his hundreds to the thousands of the enemy. The latter were armed with the smokeless Mauser rifle, while the Cubans carried inferior Remingtons. The Spaniards usually had an abundance of ammunition; the patriots often went into battle with ten rounds.

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LOCAL ESTATES.

London Lady's \$14,000.

SAN FRANCISCO CHINESE LEAVES \$6,300

Emma Amelia Hill, widow, late of 130, Green Dragon Lane, Winchester, Middlesex, who died on April 5, 1933, left local estate sworn at \$14,000.

An application by Daniel John Lewis, solicitor, the lawful attorney, to rescind the certified copy of the probate of the will, was granted.

Fong Lun, or (Luen), alias Kwong Lun, late of 828, Grant Avenue, San Francisco, U.S.A., who died at the Mount Zion Hospital on October 16, 1932, left local estate valued at \$6,300.

Probate of the will of the deceased has been granted to Kwong Han-yat, gentleman.

Letters of administration in the estate of Seehoo Sze-yung, merchant, late of No. 29, Pottinger Street, who left local estate valued at \$5,000, have been granted to Seehoo Lo-shi, widow.

Tsang Na, stonemason, late of 822 Ma Tau Wei Road, To Kwa Wan, Kowloon, left local estate sworn at \$4,200.

The petitions of Tsang Li-shi, widow, Tsang Lau Shi and Tsang Fun-shi, concubines, for letters of administration, have been granted.

DROUGHT DANGER IN BRITAIN

Troops Called Out To
Fight Heath Fires.

WATER SHORTAGE CAUSES
ANXIETY

London, To-day.

The prolonged drought continues in Britain, and the forecast indicates fair weather. The water problem is causing some anxiety in small towns and villages in several parts of the country.

There were further outbreaks yesterday, of fires which, during the past few days, have devastated hundreds of acres of heath and common-land, causing heavy damage by destruction of plantations, particularly in the south of England.

Troops from Aldershot Command, wearing gas masks and helmets, have been engaged since Saturday last in fighting a fire near Petersfield, and at Bordon Camp, military operations have been suspended to release troops for fire fighting.

One third of the 115 calls answered by the Fire Brigade in the London County Council area during week-end, were to deal with burning grass and undergrowth. Extra patrols are on continuous duty in the New Forest, where the first fires occurred during last week-end.—British Wireless Service.

MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR LORD GREY.

Distinguished Gathering
At Westminster Abbey.

H.M. THE KING REPRESENTED

London, To-day.

His Majesty the King, the Prince of Wales, the Prime Minister, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, and Mr. Stanley Baldwin, were represented at the Memorial Service for Viscount Grey of Fallodon, held yesterday in Westminster Abbey.

The large congregation included statesmen, ambassadors, Peers and Members of Parliament of all parties, as well as representatives of organisations of various kinds with which Lord Grey was associated.

The Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, the Secretary of State for War, Lord Halifax and the Secretary for the Dominions, Mr. J. H. Thomas, were among the Members of the Cabinet present, and Mr. Lloyd George, Mr. Winston Churchill and several other former Ministerial colleagues of the late statesman also attended.—British Wireless Service.

INTERNATIONAL TEA COMMITTEE.

India, Ceylon And Dutch
East Indies.

London, to-day.

An International Tea Committee representing three producing countries, has been constituted in London. India, Ceylon and the Dutch East Indies each have four members.

The Chairman is Mr. R. Graham, of India, and the Deputy Chairman, Mr. Clifford Figg, of Ceylon.

The Dutch East Indies is represented by Mr. M. P. Leenderik, M. D. Bolderhey, M. W. H. Daukes, and M. P. A. Waller.—Reuter.

CHANGE OF CAR OWNERSHIP.

Three Well-Known
Chinese Fined.

Mr. Leung Yiu-fai, manager of the Bank of East Asia, Dr. Ma Luk and Mr. Au Young-shing, were each fined \$10 by Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning for failing to notify the change of ownership of their motor-cars.

Two cars belonging to Mr. Leung Yiu-fai and Dr. Ma Luk had been bought by Mr. Au Young-shing, and all three had neglected to notify the sale and change of ownership. "This is a source of considerable inconvenience to the police in tracing the real owners," said Traffic Inspector Alexander.

DANGER PASSED IN FUKIEN

"Reds" Fail In Second
Attack On Yenping.

OVER 3,000 DEAD IN FIERCE
BATTLE

Foochow, To-day.

Yenping was closely infested for the second time by the "Reds," on Sunday night, causing another panic among the population of Foochow. The Government troops, however, were able to beat off the invaders after a night-long battle which exacted a heavy toll on both sides.

It appears that the "Reds" made a desperate attempt to take the walled city of Yenping on Sunday evening by ordering the "Dare-to-Die Corps," consisting mostly of young boys to climb the city wall.

The invaders were met by heavy fire from the city defenders. Hand-to-hand fights then followed until dawn yesterday, when the "Reds" began to fall back. The Government troops immediately followed up.

It is officially claimed that the danger of the "Red" invasion in north-west Fukien has definitely passed with this second failure to take Yenping. The "Reds" suffered heavy casualties which official reports estimate at about 3,000, while the Government force casualties are still unknown.—Central News Agency.

AMATEUR BURGLARS SENT TO GAOL

Ringleader Not Caught.

DUPEES FAIL TO CARRY
PLOT THROUGH

Described as amateur burglars, three unemployed Chinese cooks, Lo Chau, Chan Kau Shing and Ho Yu Kwong, were charged at the Central Magistracy this morning with assaulting a Chinese contractor, Tam Chong, and his fook, Tam Ping, at 23 Tai Wong Street on September 9, with intent to commit robbery.

Another unemployed cook, Chung Chiu, was charged with aiding and abetting.

Detective Sub-Inspector Nolloth said that the first three accused gained access to the premises and attacked the complainants. After a while they suddenly released their victims and fled, without stealing anything. The alarm was given and a district watchman, who saw the first accused running away, chased and caught him. Information was obtained from this man which led to the arrest of the other three.

Continuing, Detective Nolloth said that the plans for the raid were made about two weeks ago by another cook, who had not yet been arrested. This man was the ringleader of the gang, while the men in custody were just dupes and absolute amateurs.

The men gained admittance with the help of the ringleader, who lived on the premises, but did not use the gags and strands of wire which they carried.

The fourth accused's job was to keep a cobbler, who lived on the premises, away for the night, which he succeeded in doing, taking him to the theatre in Yaumati, and thence to a gambling shop, where they remained until 4 a.m.

In sentencing the first three accused to four months' hard labour, the Magistrate, Mr. Schofield, made an order for all to be sent back to the country after serving their term of imprisonment.

FINE ARTS ACADEMY.

The Hong Kong Fine Arts Academy has removed to No. 8 Des Voeux Road. The principal, Mr. Tait, is most gratified with the progress which many of the students have made and entertains high hopes of what this school may eventually accomplish. Morning and evening classes are held and special lessons may be arranged. Interesting models are employed to sit regularly for the school, and drawing and painting from life is taught by the principal himself. All interested in art are cordially invited to visit the school, where the work of the students is displayed in the studio, together with some fine specimens of Mr. Tait's own work.

BRITISH GLIDING RECORD

R.A.F. Officer Seven
Hours In Air.

MAY ATTACK WORLD FIGURE

London.

A new British duration gliding record has been established by Flight-Lieutenant E. L. Mole, of Birmingham. He remained in the air for nearly seven hours.

It was during a secret test flight of a new type of soaring glider, carried out at the London Gliding Club's ground at Dunsable, that the feat was achieved.

Flight-Lieutenant Mole took off at 10.43 a.m., climbed to a height of 1,500 feet, and remained in the air until 5.38 p.m.

The machine was designed and entirely built by ex-Corporal Mechanic Manuel, late of the Royal Air Force, at his home at Folkestone.

Mr. Gurney Grice, who was appointed to observe the test by the British Gliding Association, the body controlling the sport in Great Britain, placed a sealed paragraph in the machine before it was launched into the air.

"This is easily the longest gliding flight so far achieved by a British pilot," he said afterwards. "The machine is a scientific triumph for Mr. Manuel. The flight has proved that it is greatly superior to the German soaring gliders which we have hitherto been forced to import."

Flight-Lieutenant Mole has been making preparations for some time to attack the world's duration record, and after this initial success he hopes to tackle the record before long.—Reuter.

SALE OF A GIRL CONDEMNED

Purchaser Fined.

MAGISTRATE'S WARNING

In imposing a fine of \$100 on a Chinese contractor, So Tek Shiu, "for taking part in a transaction for the transfer of a child for a valuable consideration," Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, said that it must be clearly understood that transactions of this kind between strangers will in future meet with serious disfavour.

A Chinese woman, Ho Chat, who was also charged, was bound over in a sum of \$200 for a period of one year.

Sub-Inspector Fraser prosecuted and Mr. F. X. D'Almada, Junior, counsel for the first defendant, pleaded not guilty.

Inspector Fraser said that the child, Lo Kit, aged 11, was sold to the first defendant, for \$100 because the mother could not afford to look after her. The defendant had a family of three sons and the girl was required to look after them. The child had not been ill-treated, but was in poor health and at present receiving treatment at the Tung Wah Hospital.

Mr. D'Almada said that the girl had actually been adopted, but the document to prove this had been lost. The defendant was a respectable man with a good character, and had bought the girl for the purpose of adoption and not as a mul-tai.

ACID-THROWING CHARGE.

Cannot Be Dealt With
Summarily.

Ng Wah, a marine store collector, was charged before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court this morning with throwing corrosive fluid on Ching Yuet Yid, his common law wife, at 43 Queen's Road West on September 9.

Detective Sergeant Davies asked for two days' remand and said that he had been instructed not to ask for a committal.

Mr. Schofield replied that he had no power to deal with the case summarily. "The maximum penalty for an offence of this nature is imprisonment for life," he said.

Sergeant Davies said that he would refer the matter to Mr. Murphy, Assistant Director of Criminal Intelligence.

To-Day's Short Story.

THE PYLON

By Bernard
J. Farmer.

LIKE strange gods they came marching over the hill, and took the village in their tremendous 1,000-foot stride; and the cables they carried dipped and rose, dipped and rose again—the lowest point of their sag, it seemed, the nearest point of contact they would ever achieve with this world.

They travelled up to Joseph Wyborn's farm, reached the peak of their height at the bottom of his orchard, grasped at the great steel pylon erected there, and slipped smoothly down, to disappear over the next hill.

Every morning, as regular as the winding of his watch, he would stand and glare up at the towering lattice work, painted a chill grey, and the cables which he regarded as pipes for the new-fangled light to run along. As if they couldn't get on without assistance from him and his! He hated such contraptions with all the stubbornness in his nature—a stubbornness bred from generations of battling with droughts and storms to wrest the goodness from the earth. But for the little red-painted notice:

DANGER: HIGH VOLTAGE, which he thought a legal warning against trespassers (and being a landowner himself he had a grudging respect for such), he would have smashed down the tower with the big blacksmith's hammer in his barn, and left the cables to lie in a tangle—anywhere as long as they weren't on his land.

He had fought against them hard. Months before a sunny-faced young man had called at the farmhouse, armed with a brown satchel, which instinctively Joseph Wyborn had associated with rates or something equally unpleasant.

"Aye?" he grunted. "I represent the Middlesbrough Electric Power Company, Mr. Wyborn, and I have called about the wayleave over your land. We want to carry the cables over—for the transmission of power, you know."

YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK.

Half-Yearly Dividend
Declared.

At the 107th Half-yearly Ordinary General Meeting of shareholders, held at the Head Office of the Yokohama Specie Bank, Yokohama, on Saturday, a net profit of Yen 13,369,038.82, including Yen 5,859,464.04, carried over from last account, was shown.

It was decided to place Yen 1,500,000 to reserve, to declare a dividend for the half-year ended June 30 at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, absorbing Yen 5,000,000.00, and to carry forward a sum of Yen 6,860,038.82 to the next account.

ROBINSON ROAD SUBSIDENCE.

Rain Damage Causes
Car Accident.

The heavy rains of yesterday afternoon caused a subsidence over several feet of the portion of Robinson Road recently under repair, and a section near Mosque Street has been closed to traffic.

The subsidence was the cause of an accident last night, a car owned by Mr. Lam Wing-yin crashing into the obstruction.

Constables were subsequently posted to divert traffic and at the same time a warning was issued through the local broadcasting station.

News In Brief.

The Italian light cruiser Quarto is expected to arrive in the Colony to-morrow from Amoy, for a few days' stay.

Mr. R. E. Stott, land bailiff, P.W.D., acquired a bungalow site of 10,000 square feet, overlooking Tai Hang Road, at yesterday's auction sale of Crown Land at the P.W.D., at the upset price of \$5,000.

A Chinese tea-broker named Wong Chung was sentenced, at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, to three months' imprisonment for selling a good tea plant, and for selling tea leaves, which a large of good tea had been placed.

and it will be necessary to erect a tower at the foot of your orchard, here—" He opened the satchel and unfolded the surveyor's plan. "I trust there will be no objection? We shall pay, of course, a small yearly rental for the land required—say three shillings."

The sunny-faced young man tried to speak carefully, but in truth he expected his figure to be an immediate signal for battle. He was weary of haggling with farmers over whose land the transmission line was to pass. But Mr. Wyborn was an exception. He did not attempt to haggle. He glanced at the plan and grasped the fact that someone wanted to erect a contraption on his land.

"Good morning to ye," he said. "But Mr. Wyborn—"

"I won't have them electrifying things here, ruining the crops."

"But surely, Mr. Wyborn, you wouldn't stand in the way of progress? You would benefit as much as anyone else."

"Aye," said Mr. Wyborn, "I would."

Mr. Wyborn heard him out.

TO-MORROW'S STORY

To-morrow's story will be
"In The Pincers," by L. J.
Beeson.

"Compelled, am I, to have contraptions on my land? I'm going to market to-morrow. I'll see Lawyer Toms. Good-day to ye."

And he slammed the door.

Mr. Wyborn went to see Lawyer Toms with the feeling that all would be well now and those contraption-making busybodies told where they belonged; but the utmost Mr. Toms could do was to appeal to the Ministry of Transport under Section 22 of the Act; and that argut body, after due correspondence, appointed an inspector to see Mr. Wyborn.

The inspector came. Three days later Mr. Wyborn's objections were characterised as "frivolous," and the matter ended. The sunny-faced young man called again with a form which Mr. Wyborn signed with a savage scratch; and when he offered three shillings as the first year's rental it was thrown back in his face.

The steel tower was erected. Mr. Wyborn watched it grow up joint by joint and brace by brace; he saw the great insulators, like sleeved handless arms, suspended from the cross arms, and rolls of shining copper wire dragged back and forth across his orchard, to finish at length in four great strands, which sailed majestically over his house.

And he said nothing. The sunny-faced young man departed for good. The workmen departed too, carrying away their tools and the tractor which had been used to drag the wire over the ground.

But the pylon remained, towering high above the trees, aloof, despised, immutable, holding communion; it seemed, with things not of this world; and the shining wires travelled with the sun, thin veins of blood which darkened gradually with the seasons.

The transmission line was completed, and power flowed in the cables. Word by word Mr. Wyborn spelt out the account of the inauguration ceremony in the "Middlesbrough Times"—the pressing of the golden button; the roar of the turbo-generators into life; the surge of 100,000 volts of electricity through the cables, carrying light and power from coast to coast; the benefits, the editor said, that would accrue to the whole countryside—and from that day the "Middlesbrough Times" lost a subscriber.

The next morning Mr. Wyborn went down to the orchard and gazed up at the tower bedded so firmly in concrete on his land, at the cables swinging easily overhead, out of reach; and he could hear a faint derisive hum proceeding from them. A vein in his forehead suddenly smothered his grey eyes, and he was startled by his stick to the steel.

"Bad omen to ye!" he shouted.

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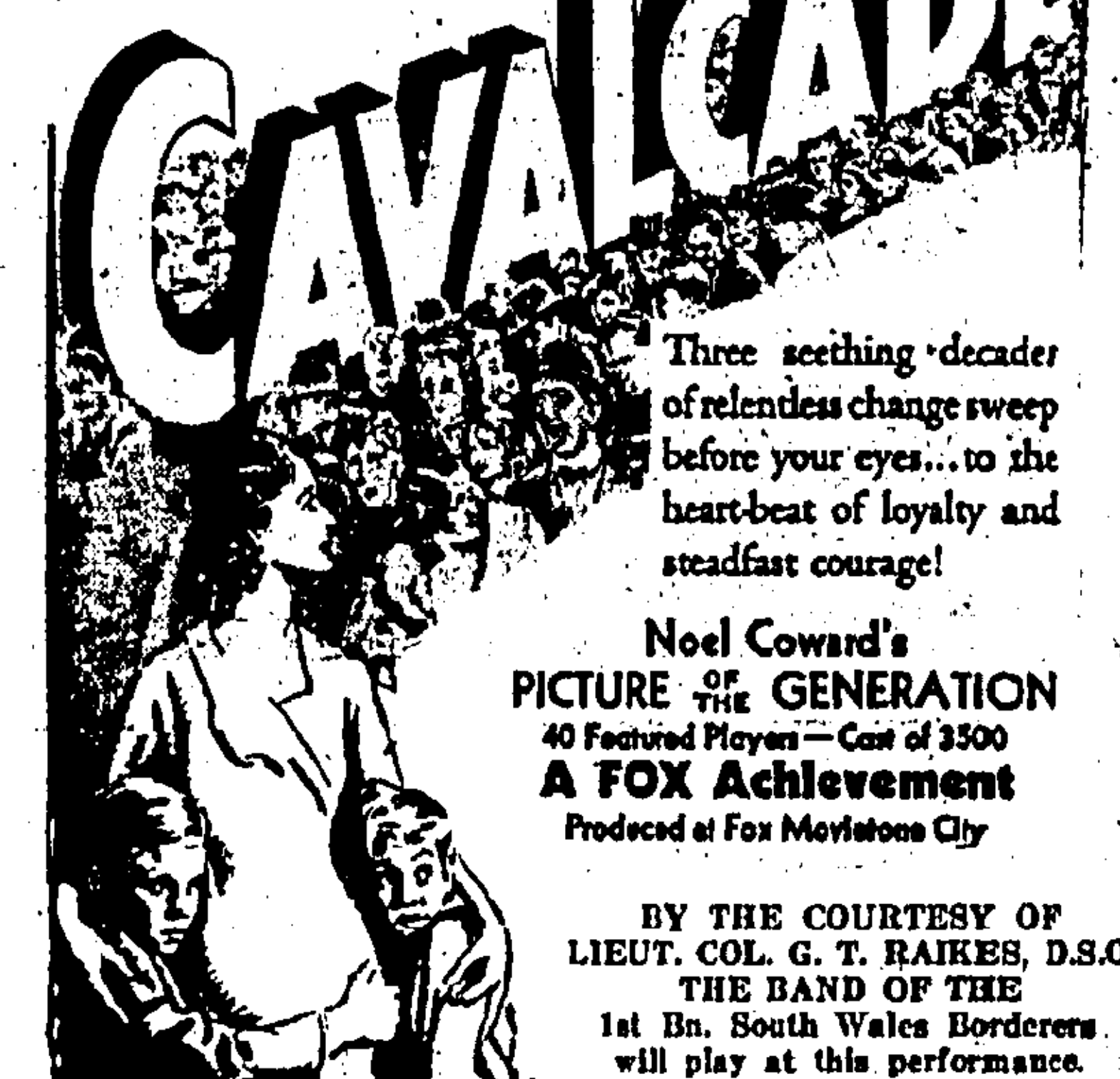
GALA NIGHT

TO-MORROW AT 9.30 P.M.

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MANY THINGS, BUT IT CANNOT CHANGE
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Money is urgently needed and funds are very low. No amount is too small and will be most thankfully received by the Hon. Treasurer.

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161, The Peak.

WOMAN RULE IN VILLAGE.

Men On Council Have
No Power.

Madrid. Women run the Basque fishing village of Bermeo where all the men go to sea early in the morning and return late. There are men on the local council but the women are in control for they know more about civic affairs. "If a man shows signs of getting out of hand," explained a senora of Bermeo, "three or four of us throw him into the sea and he has to swim ashore."

The women are tall and strong, with faces bronzed by sun and sea breezes.—Reuter.

CATHEDRAL FUND.

Donations Now Total
\$1,965.

The following donations to St. John's Cathedral Restoration Fund have been received:

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taggart \$100
Mr. B. G. Donnelly 25
Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Compton 50
Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Rossett 25
Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hooper 10
Miss E. M. R. Buckland 10
Previously acknowledged \$1,785

Total to date \$1,965

"VIRTUOUS MAN A MENACE"

Contributes To Budget
Deficits.

Paris. The really virtuous man is a menace to the State.

This view is put forward by a writer in the *Paris-Midi*, because the virtuous man drinks no wine or spirits, and contributes nothing to the tax on alcohol.

He lives economically and contributes little to the tax on business turnover.

He saves his money, thus avoiding all the taxes levied on money in circulation.

He does not bet, so that the State receives none of his money through the "tote".

He does not smoke, and so fails to support a State monopoly.

He travels little, and thus incurs no railway deficit.—Reuter.

LOCAL DOLLAR UNCHANGED.

Silver Again Advances.

The dollar remains unchanged at 1/45.

Silver again showed an advance yesterday, spot moving upwards 1/16 and forward 1/16 to 18 1/2 and 18 1/4 respectively.

The cross rate, London on New York, is 2-034.534, and New York on London 2-044.544.

RANGER'S WEEK-END HOME SOCCER FORECAST

SPURS TO MEET ARSENAL IN BIG DERBY GAME AT WHITE HART LANE AND SHEFFIELD TEAMS CLASH

DUNDEE MAY SPOIL QUEEN'S PARK RECORD



English League.

FIRST DIVISION

BIRMINGHAM (3) v Blackburn (1)
Chelsea (0) v A. VILLA (1)
DERBY (3) v Leeds (1)

HUDDERS-
FIELD (-) v Stoke (-)
Liverpool (1) v Leicester (2)

MANCHESTER
C (3) v Everton (0)
PORTSMOUTH (2) v Wolves (0)

WEDNESDAY (2) v Middlesboro' (1)
SUNDERLAND (2) v Sheffield U. (2)
Tottenham (-) v Arsenal (-)
W. BROMWICH (3) v Newcastle (2)

TABLE TO DATE

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Tottenham	5	3	1	1	10	4	7
Aston Villa	5	3	2	0	11	9	8
Arsenal	4	2	0	2	7	4	6
Portsmouth	5	2	1	2	8	4	6
Stoke	5	2	1	2	6	8	6
Manchester C.	5	2	1	2	5	4	6
Blackburn	4	2	1	1	10	6	6
Leeds	4	2	1	1	10	6	6
Huddersfield	4	2	1	1	8	5	6
Sunderland	5	2	1	1	11	9	6
Leicester	5	2	2	1	9	7	5
Sheffield U.	5	2	2	1	8	9	5
Wolves	5	2	3	0	7	17	4
Wednesday	5	2	3	0	8	9	4
Everton	4	1	1	2	6	7	4
Newcastle	4	1	1	2	6	7	4
Liverpool	5	1	2	2	9	11	4
Birmingham	5	1	2	2	6	5	4
Derby	4	0	1	3	4	6	3
Chelsea	4	1	3	0	7	13	2
Middlesboro'	4	1	3	0	6	12	2
West Bromwich	4	1	3	0	4	8	2

English League.

THIRD DIVISION (South)

Aldershot (1) v NORWICH (3)
BRIGHTON (7) v Bristol C. (0)
Bristol R. (1) v Reading (0)
CARDIFF (2) v Torquay (1)
CRYSTAL P. (0) v Watford (3)

EXETER (-) v South (-)
Gillingham (-) v Charlton (-)
LUTON (2) v Newport (2)

NORTHAMP-
TON (2) v Queen's P.R. (1)
Southend (1) v COVENTRY (3)
SWINDON (0) v Clapton (3)

TABLE TO DATE

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Norwich	5	4	1	0	15	5	9
Charlton	5	3	1	1	12	7	7
Crystal P.	5	3	1	1	8	2	7
Aldershot	5	2	0	3	6	3	7
Luton	5	3	2	0	10	6	6
Bournemouth	5	3	2	0	13	10	6
Bristol R.	5	3	2	0	11	8	6
Exeter	5	3	2	0	9	9	6
Swindon	5	2	1	2	7	7	5
Queen's P.R.	5	2	2	1	7	7	5
Torquay	5	2	2	1	9	15	5
Gillingham	5	2	2	1	9	11	5
Reading	5	2	2	1	9	9	5
Coventry	5	2	3	0	14	10	4
Brighton	5	1	3	1	7	11	5
Southend	5	1	3	1	4	10	3
Watford	5	1	4	0	7	11	2
Northampton	5	0	1	2	5	11	2
Newport	5	0	3	2	4	9	2
Bristol C.	5	0	4	1	4	17	1

Scottish League.

FIRST DIVISION.

Airdrie (2) v HEARTS (7)
Ayr (3) v RANGERS (3)
CELTIC (0) v Hamilton (3)
COWDEN-
BEATH (-) v Queen's Pk. (1)
DUNDEE (2) v Clyde (-)
HIBERNIAN (-) v Aberdeen (3)
MOTHERWELL (2) v St. Johnstone (2)
PARTICK (2) v Falkirk (2)
St. Mirren (1) v KILMAR-

(The figures in brackets denote the result of the corresponding game last year.)

TABLE TO DATE

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Queen's Park	6	6	0	0	17	6	12
Motherwell	6	6	0	0	12	2	12
Rangers	7	4	1	2	26	8	10
Kilmarnock	7	4	2	0	18	12	10
Aberdeen	6	4	2	0	16	7	8
Ayr Utd.	7	4	3	0	31	32	8
Hearts	6	3	1	2	18	6	8
Falkirk	7	3	2	2	12	12	8
Dundee	6	3	2	1	15	5	7
Hibernian	6	2	2	2	10	9	6
Partick	6	2	3	1	16	18	5
St. Johnstone	6	1	2	3	8	7	5
Queen's Pk.	6	2	4	0	8	24	4
Clyde	6	1	3	2	11	18	4
Airdrie	6	1	3	2	4	12	4
Cowdenbeath	6	1	4	1	12	17	3
Third Lanark	7	1	5	1	15	26	3
Celtic	6	0	3	3	12	15	3
St. Mirren	7	0	5	2	5	18	2

English League.

THIRD DIVISION (North)

Accrington (3) v TRANMERE (0)
CHESTER-
FIELD (-) v Rochdale (-)
CREWE (2) v Halifax (1)
Darlington (1) v Mansfield (3)
Gateshead (1) v BARNESLEY (1)

STOCK-
New Brighton (1) v PORT (1)
ROTHESHAM (1) v Carlisle (0)
Southport (0) v Hartlepool (3)
WALSALL (1) v Barrow (1)
Wrexham (1) v CHESTER (2)
YORK (2) v Doncaster (3)

TABLE TO DATE

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Tranmere	5	4	0	1	13	4	9
Chesterfield	5	4	1	0	17	7	8
Barnsley	4	3	0	1	11	7	7
Crewe	5	3	1	1	12	8	7
Stockport	5	3	1	1	12	8	7
Hartlepool	5	3	1	1	9	5	7
Accrington	5	3	1	1	8	7	7
Halifax	5	3	2	0	9	8	6
Barrow	5	2	1	2	8	6	6
Walsall	5	2	2	1	9	9	6
Doncaster	5	2	2	1	8	6	6
New Brighton	5	2	2	1	7	6	6
Gateshead	5	2	2	1	12	19	4
Rochdale	5	2	3	0	6	5	4
York	5	1	2	2	10	11	3
Chester	5	1	3	1	7	10	3
Carlisle	5	1	3	1	2	8	3
Southport	4	0	1	3	5	10	3
Mansfield	5	0	2	3	6	11	3
Wrexham	5	0	1	4	8	13	2
Darlington	5	0	3	2	6	13	2
Rotherham	4	0	3	1	2	11	1

English League.

SECOND DIVISION

BOLTON (-) v Bury (-)
Bradford (1) v Grimsby (1)
BRENTFORD (-) v Manchester U. (-)

PLY-
MOUTH (1)
Hull (-)
MILLWALL (2) v Fulham (1)
NOTTS C. (-) v Blackpool (-)
Oldham (3) v West Ham (2)
PORT VALE (2) v Bradford C. (0)
PRESTON (2) v Notts F. (1)
SWANSEA (2) v Southampton (1)

TABLE TO DATE

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Grimsby	5	4	1	0	16	4	8
Preston	5	4	1	0	12	8	8
Southampton	5	3	1	1	10	6	7
Notts C.	4	3	1	0	8	4	6
Bradford	5	3	2	0	12	10	6
Fulham	5	3	2	0	9	8	6
Brentford	5	2	1	2	10	8	6
Hull	5	2	1	2	8	7	6
Port Vale	5	2	1	2	8	6	6
West Ham	5	2	1	2	15	13	5
Millwall	5	2	1	2	6	5	5
Plymouth	5	1	2	2	10	12	4
Notts F.	5	1	2	2	4	6	4
Burnley	5	2	3	0	6	9	4
Blackpool	5	2	3	0	6	7	4
Bury	5	1	3	1	5	10	3
Lincoln	4	1	2	1	3	3	3
Oldham	5	1	3	1	7	12	3
Bradford C.	5	1	3	1	6	10	3
Swansea	5	1	3	1	5	8	3
Manchester U.	5	0	3	2	3	12	2

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Another Setback For Yankees

Senators And Giants Win In U.S. Baseball.

New York, To-day.
The Yankees, world series baseball champions, received yet another check yesterday when the Tigers trounced them by a 5 to 1 tally. The Senators won to consolidate their almost unassailable position at the head of the table.
New York Giants increased the gap between them and Pittsburgh in the National League when they secured a narrow verdict over the Reds.
The games between Brooklyn Dodgers and Pittsburgh Pirates (double-header) and Philadelphia Phillies and Chicago Cubs were held up by rain.
Results as cabled by Reuter were as follow:

National League

	R	H	E.
Boston	8	10	0
St. Louis	0	0	0
Ed. Brandt pitched.			
New York	3	12	2
Cincinnati	1	6	0

American League

	W.	L.	Per.
Chicago	3	9	1
Philadelphia	5	7	0
Chicago	0	5	1
J. Marcum pitched.			
Philadelphia	8	14	2
McNair hit a homer.			
Cleveland	1	8	1
Washington	5	9	0
Detroit	5	11	0
New York	1	4	1

TABLES TO DATE

National League

	W.	L.	Per.
New York	63	49	.562
Pittsburgh	75	59	.560
Chicago	75	62	.547
St. Louis	73	63	.536
Boston	70	63	.526
Brooklyn	56	75	.427
Philadelphia	50	77	.394
Cincinnati	52	48	.522

American League

	W.	L.	Per.
Washington	88	46	.656
New York	79	53	.598
Philadelphia	69	62	.526
Cleveland	71	63	.510
Detroit	67	70	.488
Chicago	59	74	.443
Boston	57	81	.413
St. Louis	50	87	.365

GORDON BENNETT BALLOON RACE.

Winds Play Strange Tricks.

THREE BALLOONS LEFT IN
Glenview, Ill., Sept. 4.
Winds have played strange tricks on the International balloonists who entered the Gordon Bennett race. Some of the big balloons, that left here on Saturday have not been reported and three are down inside the United States. Reports that some reached Canada have not been verified.

The latest to land was blown almost due east and was about to pass over the Atlantic ocean when it was deflated. This was the United States Navy balloon piloted by Lieut.-Commander T. G. Settle. Seeing that he still had good altitude and was likely to go over the ocean, he brought his craft down at Branford, Conn. The landing place is about 10 miles north of Long Island Sound. It was estimated that he could have remained in the air for ten hours longer.

The German entry, the Deutschland, came down today at Kingston, Michigan, about forty miles south-east of Bay City and the same distance from Lake Huron.
The Belgian balloon came down yesterday at Richfield, Mich. Both the Belgian and German balloons are out of the contest, for they travelled less than 400 miles. At times they were almost becalmed. The Navy balloon travelled approximately 780 miles.—United Press.

It is preposterous to suggest that any one minor technical stroke feature is responsible for Japan's array of world champions at all styles of swimming. I know from first-hand information, of opinions with Japanese officials at Los Angeles that their rise to the top of the world is due to method in training. It is training under competent leadership from early boyhood.—W. J. Howcroft.

HOME AND AWAY SOCCER TABLES

Appear every Friday in
The China Mail.



CARNERA WILL LOSE

Canzoneri Favours Baer's Chances.

HOLDER OF THREE TITLES SAYS CHAMPION HAS TOO MANY WEAKNESSES

Kansas City, Sept. 6.
Tony Canzoneri, the Italian boxer who has held three boxing titles, does not favour the chances of his countryman, Primo Carnera, when and if the latter meets Max Baer.

"Carnera has too many weaknesses," opined Tony. "Aside from a stiff left jab, he hasn't a thing but the right uppercut with which he knocked out Sharkey. That may or may not have a lucky punch."

Canzoneri, however, expressed the opinion that Carnera had improved greatly as a fighter in the past two years.

"Still Baer is a good, tough boy and, being younger and quicker, ought to win," Tony said.

"He'll get in closer for his punches than Sharkey did." Associated Press.

Selections to Bear In Mind

AWAY

Rangers, Kilmarnock, Aston Villa, Coventry, Barnsley.

HOME

Notts C. Cardiff, Luton, Walsall, Motherwell.

DRAWS

Tottenham Dundee St. Mirren Oldham Darlington.

TWELVE MATCHES TO-MORROW

Seven Encounters In Scottish League.

100 PER CENT. TEAMS IN ACTION TO-DAY

THE following are the mid-week fixtures in the five leagues:

	TO-DAY	TO-MORROW
Scottish League	Hibernian v Motherwell	Queen's Park v Hearts
First Division	Chelsea v Huddersfield	West Bromwich v Arsenal
Second Division	Notts C. v Lincoln	Crystal P. v Luton
Third Division (South)	Exeter v Brighton	Airdrie v Partick
Scottish League	Ayr v St. Mirren	Dundee v Third Lanark
Falkirk v Aberdeen	Hamilton v Kilmarnock	Rangers v Queen's Pk.
St. Johnstone v Clyde		

Derby Winner Hot Favourite For St. Leger At Doncaster To-morrow

London, To-day.
The last list but one of the St. Leger Stakes call-over was announced yesterday, with Hyperion still favoured. The race will be run at Doncaster on Wednesday.
The following are the odds:
7/4 Hyperion (t. and o.) (Weston).
8/1 Scarlet Letter (o.) (Carr-lake).
100/12 Thor (t. and o.) (Elliott).
100/9 King Salmon (t. and o.) (S. Wragg).
100/8 Raymond (o.) 12/1 (t.) (Gordon Richards).
100/6 Harinero (t. and o.) (Ray).

SOUTH CHINA SOCCER TEAM TO PLAY AT NANKING MEETING



(By G. L.)

50 Yards Handicap: Police Reserve
Chan Sau-ping, A. Wong, M. Ramsay
A. Hainid, Sher Mahomed and Pehlwan
Khan.

(By CRAWL).

BORDERERS' MEET TO-DAY

the Y.M.C.A. Army, and Association quarter and half mile champion, will be seen in action.

He represented Hong Kong in the triangular interport contest in Shanghai in 1981, taking part in

(By Outside Left.)

(BY G. L.).

50 Yards, Free Style
100 Yards, Free Style
220 Yards, Free Style
440 Yards, Free Style

ley, Hammond, Brown, Logan; 100 yards back stroke, Moffatt, Hagenstein; 100 yards breast stroke,

(By OUTSIDE LEFT).

Commander R. J. Shaw, known

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H. Outlines; C. Mackintosh; A. J. Bontario; A. Roma; A. Orus; Guitierrez; C. Marguen; G. Bones



(By CRAWL):

Miss Young's "Double?"
The Ladies' 100 Metres Free Style Championship should see

H. Outlines; C. Mackintosh; A. J. Bontario; A. Roman; A. Orun; G. Marguerite; C. Boner

V.R.C.—M. M. de V. Soares, S. V. Gittins, J. R. Soares, H. M. Remedios, W. F. Ambrose, W. Lawrence and C. Z. Bon-Pardun.

Metres Invitation relay to H.K.I.A.
S.A. affiliated Clubs.
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LLOYD TRIESTINO

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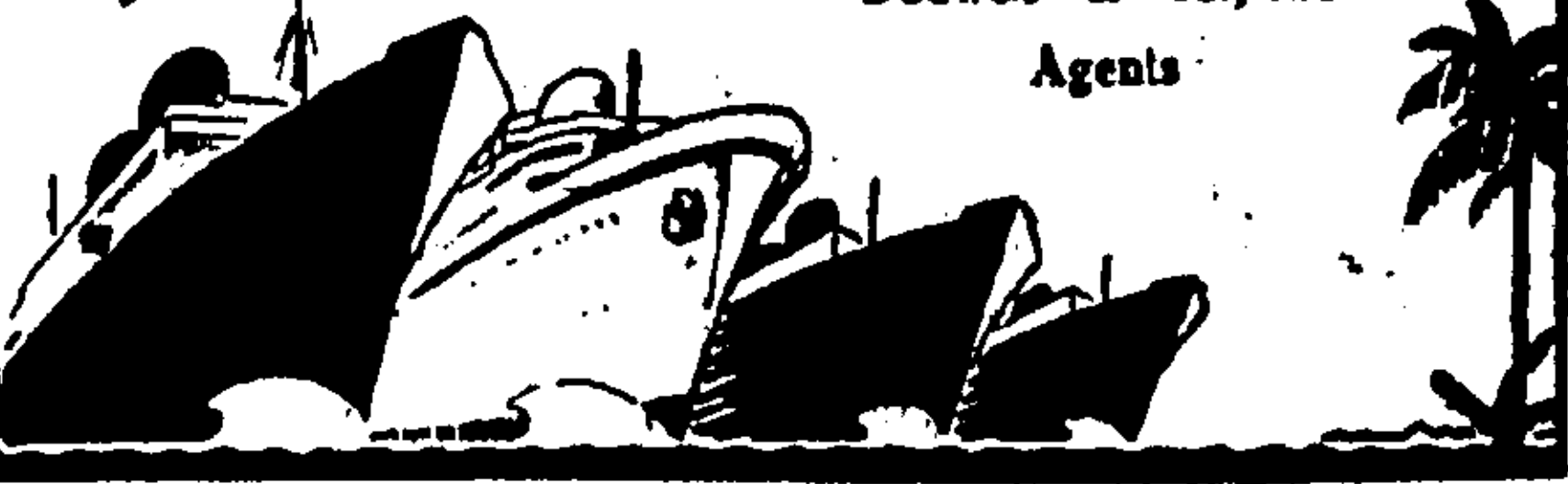
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ASAMA MARU Wednesday, 1st Nov. at 10 a.m.

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ATSUTA MARU Saturday, 23rd Sept.
KAMO MARU Saturday, 21st Oct.

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LISBON MARU Friday, 16th Sept.

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus, Genoa and Valencia.
LYONS MARU Monday, 13th Sept.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.
YAMAGATA MARU Friday, 15th Sept.
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MELBOURNE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, WELLINGTON & AUCKLAND direct.	Brisbane Maru Thurs., 5th Oct.	
BOMBAY & KARACHI via Singapore, Balawan Dell, Penang & Colombo.	Hague Maru Tues., 19th Sept.	Havre Maru Wed., 4th Oct.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Balawan Dell, Penang and Rangoon.	Hamburg Maru Wed., 20th Sept.	Celebes Maru Mon., 2nd Oct.
JAPAN PORTS	Himalaya Maru Sun., 24th Sept.	
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THE PYLON

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He cursed them many times after that. He cursed them when storms smashed down his crops yet did them no harm; he cursed them when one of his best horses broke a leg stumbling into a ditch a few yards away from the pylon; he cursed them when his ploughman, who had worked for him for 15 years, accepted an invitation to live with a son in Canada; he cursed them when a blight damaged his fruit, and a tramp set fire to his barn; and like Job, he waited with savage stubborn patience to see what disaster would happen next.

Early in the new year he fell ill, and his housekeeper, a relation, who was as stubborn and opposed to change as himself, treated him with an equal amount of ignorance and superstition: strange, evil-smelling herbal remedies and poultices that might deal effectively with a cold, but had little effect on bronchitis. The bronchitis turned to pneumonia, and at last the doctor was called in—"when I can't do anything except sign the certificate," he thought to himself.

"Tell me, doctor," said Mr. Wyborn weakly, "it's them draught wires that done it, ain't it?"

The doctor made a soothing noise like a man grooming a horse.

"H-s-s-s-s—don't know what you mean—H-s-s-s-s—I had better have the district nurse in. Your chest is all blistered with that woman's stuff."

"Wait a minute, doctor," Mr. Wyborn laid hold of the doctor's sleeve, his face flushed, his eyes unnaturally bright.

"If them draught things kill me, they'll have to pay, won't they? They've done for themselves? Tell me they'll be taken down and burnt, and I'll die cheerful!"

"H-s-s-s-s," said the doctor, "of course you won't die—slight chill—temperature—" He brought out his thermometer and shook it. "Open your mouth."

Mr. Wyborn's knotted fingers let go of the sleeve; he fell back on his pillow.

Through the window the bottom cable could just be seen, black, like an inky line, against the pale pink of a winter's afternoon.

"Bad—cess to 'em."

The district nurse came and went with bustling vigour, sandwiching a life that was ebbing between two that had just begun; and having confined to the housekeeper that he would not last more than twenty-four hours—"Not that he mightn't go any minute"—she mounted her bicycle and pedalled away.

The housekeeper looked into the bedroom, but Mr. Wyborn was asleep—at least his eyes were closed and he was breathing heavily. She nodded to herself several times and retired to the next room.

For some time Mr. Wyborn kept his eyes closed, then opened them at length and glanced stealthily about him. The sun had set and the room was in shadow. He sat up in bed and listened intently. There was no sound from the other room. Slowly and unsteadily he got out of bed, and swaying from weakness, fell forward rather than walked to a little table by the window. He hung there for some time, then seating himself, fumbled in the drawer for pencil and paper.

In thick, uneven characters, he began to write, pausing every now and again with his eye on the door. But nothing disturbed him.

He traced the last letter, and holding the paper up to the waning light, read it over.

"The wires killed me. Sworn this 27th day of March, Joseph Wyborn."

He folded up the paper and tied it carefully round the middle with a red silk handkerchief. Then he got to his feet. His eyes, feverishly bright, were wide open; and it seemed that by their strength alone he dragged himself across the room, through the door, which stood slightly ajar, and down the stairs.

His night-shirt of thick white material moved forward like a ghost, hardly reflecting the palpitant jerking of his limbs beneath.

He reached the front door and paused. Sweat was pouring off his face and running into his eyes. He wiped them with his sleeves, then reached up to draw the bolt. It moved suddenly with a creak. He waited then, partly through weakness, partly through fear of interruption from above. But no sound came.

He moved the bolt a little further, and at length it was shot back and the door opened. Unsteadily he lurched down the yard. At the gate he paused to collect his strength, then moved on slowly towards the orchard, the paper with the red handkerchief attached clutched

tightly in his hand. Again he seemed to move by the strength in his eyes alone. His breathing grew more and more laboured. It rasped harshly like the working of a saw.

At last he reached the bottom of the orchard and gazed up at the pylon. It was almost dark now, and the tapering line of the lattice work seemed to have acquired something of the menace of night, the cross arms at the top and hanging insulators suggesting a satanic conformation of human arms and hands. "Bad—cess to ye." He meant to shout triumphantly, but the words came barely above a whisper.

His eyes fell to the red-painted notice, and he was about to tie the handkerchief there and return to the house, content then to die, leaving a damning indictment against the wires—for with such sworn testimony of evil from the dead could Lawyer Toms fail to get them removed?—when he had a better idea. Once, many years ago, he had been "papered" for debt, the bailiff insisting on bringing the summons up to the loft where he was to deliver it personally.

Mr. Wyborn's lips twitched with grim humour. He gazed up again at the pylon, at the cables drifting away vaguely into the night. Could he? He put his foot on the bottom brace rod. It was firm and cold. Then inch by inch he began to lift himself up, a sudden out-flame of energy sending him scrambling to the rod above, and the one above that. His night-shirt lifting grotesquely in the airless night, moving up with extraordinary con-tortions.

Twice he stopped and peered up. The cables were nearer now, and much thicker. They assumed an ominous aspect, like some figure carved out starkly on a cliff face.

He climbed higher yet. His strength was failing him fast, but he would get there—he knew he would get there.

He reached the topmost brace. One insulator was not five feet away. Wrinkled, brown, ugly, it exerted a curious attraction for him. He wanted to throw his arms round and embrace it, then tear it down and fling himself down with it.

He resisted the impulse. Breaking one knob wouldn't do much harm. He would have the accused thing removed altogether—burnt, as they did for witchcraft.

He fumbled for the paper and reached up, to tie the red handkerchief round the cable, where it would be seen.

His finger wavered, a foot short of it. He steadied his feet on the iron brace rod and tried again. There! Now he could . . .

At the power station ten miles away, the engineer in charge was showing round a visitor. Suddenly the high-pitched monotonous hum of the dynamos was broken. Vicious blue flames crackled. On the switchboard a dial flickered wildly.

"Excuse me!" The engineer ran. Pulled out switches. The dynamos slowed right down with a harsh, protesting sound, almost human; then regained their impersonal hum.

The engineer returned, wiping his face. "Short circuit on the cables somewhere."

The visitor brightened. All these machines were very marvellous, of course, but just the least bit boring. But a short circuit on the cables! That might be more interesting.

"What was it?" he said. "A bird, perhaps, making contact with the earth somehow. Might be an airplane. I remember once a chap with a parachute coming down plump across the wires."

"Was he killed?" "Killed!" The engineer laughed. "100,000 volts would blast him out of existence—burn him to a cinder."

"Good God!—How horrible!" The visitor turned and gazed at the dynamos, fascinated.

CONFESSES MURDER AFTER 14 YEARS

Long Walks To Relieve Conscience.

Prague. A middle-aged woman walked into the police-station at Brno (Brunn), and said:

"I wish to confess to the murder of a stockbroker in 1919 at Brno (Northern Bohemia)."

"I also murdered a butcher in 1921," she went on, "and a shop-keeper three months ago."

The woman had always taken long walks, sometimes more than 100 miles, in order to work a crime off her conscience.

At last this method failed, and she decided to confess—Rout.

ARRIVAL OF SHIPS

September 11.
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CLEARANCES

September 10.

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Col. de Lana, for Shanghai.

General Lec, for Manila.

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Maranona, for Sydney.

Borneo, for Canton.

STEAMERS' MOVEMENTS

The Ben Line s.s. Benlunas left Singapore via Manila for Hong Kong on September 9 and is due to arrive here on September 17.

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September 12 to 18, 1933.

Date	High Water	Standard Ht.	Low Water	Standard Ht.
	Times		Times	
September 12	01 20 00	6.0	10 10 2.6	
Tues. 12	01 20 00	6.0	10 10 2.6	
Wed. 13	02 01 00	6.0	11 30 2.4	
Thurs. 14	03 10 00	6.0	12 50 2.1	
Fri. 15	04 59 00	6.1	13 09 1.8	
Sat. 16	06 28 00	6.6	23 35 4.5	
Sun. 17	07 12 00	7.0	00 43 4.1	
Mon. 18	08 00 00	7.3	01 31 3.6	
	21 22 5.5	14	44 1.4	

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*SUDAN	6,000	7th Oct.	Marseilles & London.
MANTUA RAWALPINDI	11,000	21st Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*BURDWAN	6,000	11th Nov.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg.
COMORIN CHITRAL	15,000	18th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*SOMALI	6,000	2nd Dec.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg.
RANCHI CARTHAGE	15,000	16th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*BANGALORE	6,000	6th Jan.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg.
NALDERA CORFU	15,000	13th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
RANPURA	15,000	27th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
RAWALPINDI	17,000	10th Feb.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
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	1933.	
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	1933.	
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	1933.	
MANTUA	11,000 21st Sept.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
*BURDWAN	10,000 21st Sept.	Amoy, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
TALMA	6,100 4th Oct.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
RAWALPINDI	17,000 8th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
*SOMALI	15,000 20th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
COMORIN	6,800 1st Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
CHITRAL	15,000 17th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
RANCHI	17,000 17th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
*BANGALORE	6,000 20th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
CARTHAGE	15,000 1st Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
NALDERA	15,000 15th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
CORFU	15,000 29th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
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RANPURA	17,000 12th Jan.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
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S. CHINA AQUATIC CHAMPIONSHIPS

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The Y.M.C.A. Ladies, who brought off a brilliant victory in the 200 Yards in the H.K.I.A.S.A. championships, will again be favourites with the South China Ladies offering a stern resistance.

Leung Favoured in 50 Metres

The Men's 50 Metres Free Style Championship is expected to be one of the best events on the final night's programme.

Leung Wai-sang, who qualified for the Men's 50 Yards Free Style Championship at the H.K.I.A.S.A. championships, is the favourite, but will have to go all out to beat Cheong Wing-kwong, a very fast swimmer, and Kwok Chun-hang, who may possibly record his "treble."

The Long Plunge championship which is still a popular event among the Chinese Swimming Clubs will be featured in Thursday's programme. It will, however, be a combined event for Men and Ladies, which is rather unique.

The Men's 100 Metres Back Stroke Championship will probably witness Kwok Chun-hang's "treble." His sensational victory in the Men's 100 Yards Back Stroke at the recent H.K.I.A.S.A. Championships over Leung Shui-man (Chinese Bathing Club) in the last two lengths will still be remembered.

Clean Sweep For Miss Yeung

The Ladies 400 Metres Free Style Championship looks like another victory for Miss Yeung Sau-king. In fact I am sure that she will obtain a clean sweep in all the Ladies' events.

The Men's 200 Metres Breast Stroke Championship should see Kwok Chun-hang in his element, and it is quite likely

that he will register a time within twenty seconds of the World's Amateur record of 2 mins. 44.2/5 seconds, set up by W. Spence of Canada in 1931.

The Ladies' 100 Metres Back Stroke Championship may possibly see a new champion in Miss Leung Wing-han, but she will have to give of her very best to overcome Miss Yueng Sau-king, in spite of the latter's entry in the Invitation relay and the Ladies' 400 Metres.

The following is the complete programme in order of events:—

TO-MORROW:—

Men's 200 Metres Invitation Relay Race (H.K.I.A.S.A.); Ladies' 50 Metres Free Style Championship; Children's 50 Metres Free Style (Under 15); Men's 100 Metres Free Style Handicap; Men's 100 Metres Free Style Championship; Life Saving Exhibition; Ladies' 100 Metres Free Style Handicap; Girls (Under 15) 100 Metres Breast Stroke Handicap; Boys (Under 15) 100 Metres Free Style Handicap; Senior Competitors (Veterans) 50 Metres Free Style Handicap; Men's 400 Metres Free Style Championship; Ladies' 200 Metres Breast Stroke Championship and South China Ambulance Brigade's 100 Metres Free Style.

THURSDAY:—

Ladies' 200 Metres Invitation Relay Race (H.K.I.A.S.A.); Men's 50 Metres Free Style Championship; Boys' (Under 15) 100 Metres Breast Stroke Handicap; Long Plunge Championship (Men and Ladies); Men's 200 Metres Breast Stroke Handicap; Children's (Under 12) 50 Metres Free Style Handicap; Men's 100 Metres Back Stroke Championship; Ladies' 400 Metres Free Style Championship; Mixed Diving Exhibition; Men's 100 Metres Back Stroke Handicap; Ladies' 100 Metres Breast Stroke Handicap; Men's 200 Metres Breast Stroke Championship; Ladies' 100 Metres Back Stroke Championship; South China Sailors' Under Water Swimming and Committee Members' Free Style.

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INWARD MAILS.

	WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13	
Japan	Lyons Maru	
Shanghai	Conto Verde	
Japan	Yamagata Maru	
Australia and Manila	Kamo Maru	
	FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15	
Straits	Patroclus	
Shanghai	Bhutan	
Japan	Takada	
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	SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17	
Straits	Hakodate Maru	
	MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18	
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 25th August)	Pres. Lincoln	
Japan and Shanghai	Chichibu Maru	

OUTWARD MAILS.

	WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13	
Foochow via Swatow	Yatahing	10.30 a.m.
Straits and Europe via Marseilles	Deucalion	
—due Marseilles, 12th October	G.P.O.	
Registrations	1 p.m.	
Letters	1 p.m.	
Australia (except places North of Brisbane) and New Zealand via Singapore and Brisbane	Deucalion	
(To connect with the s.s. "Nieuw Holland" at Singapore; leaving Singapore on September 19)	Letters	5.30 p.m.
Registration	2.30 p.m.	
Manila	Emp. of Russia	5.30 p.m.
Amoy	Taiwan	5.30 p.m.
*Japan, Canada, U.S.A., *Central & *South America & *Europe via Victoria B.C.—due Victoria B.C., 8th October	Tyndareus	
Parcels	5 p.m.	
Registrations	9.45 a.m.	
Letters	10.30 a.m.	
	THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14	
Manila	Emp. of Russia	10.30 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Bridget	Conto Verde	
(Bus Brindall, October 5)	G.P.O.	
Registration	3 p.m.	
Amoy	Kwangtung	3.15 p.m.
Letters	8 p.m.	
	FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15	
Japan and Europe via Siberia	Kamo Maru	9.30 a.m.
Holbow and Hsiphong	Chichibu	10 a.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Takada	

HOW CUBA WON HER FREEDOM

(Continued from Page 6.)

To harry the royal troops from ambush, and, when conditions were favourable, to charge them with the machete, were the tactics of the insurgents.

Handful Against Horde

The Spaniards sometimes had an exaggerated idea of the numbers of the Cubans, for it was the practice of the latter to fire on the enemy's columns from a hill here and a wood there.

Moreover, the Cubans would creep up to a camp of soldiers at night and make a demonstration of force by discharging volleys at them. "Don't let them sleep," was their motto.

"The Handful and the Horde" is the title of one of the author's chapters. With their handful the Cubans often performed wonders, the Spaniards acquitting themselves dimly with their horde.

The heart of the royal forces was not in their work. Pay was months behind, they were thrown into the field with scant training, and they suffered dreadfully from malaria and yellow fever. Worst of all, they were incompetently led.

There is no accounting for the shameful defeat of the Spaniards at Saratoga, which was largely a sniping victory by the Cubans, who were indeed a handful, 400 infantry and 100 cavalry.

Fighting Methods

The Cubans had no alternative but to employ guerrilla tactics. In the sense that they ambushed the enemy, raided towns carelessly guarded, cut off straggling commands, feigned to attack in force by sniping from every point of the compass, and, charging with the machete, riding straight at the Spanish formation.

The young soldiers were more afraid of such a charge by the ragged insurgents than of all the bullets they could fire from their inferior rifles.

Neither side was well rationed, but the Spaniards never had to consume "grass soup." In the ranks of the revolutionists it was "Everything for Cuba." No sacrifice was too great to make.

The author says: "The Spanish soldiers were exposed to more than a hostile enemy. Fevers, including the dread yellow fever, dysentery, and all the discomforts of tropical campaigning were their lot. The treatment they received from their officers was often inhuman."

The insurgents seldom used field guns. Such a piece was a curiosity in their ranks. The royal troops were well supplied, but handled their guns incompetently. Sometimes the insurgents replenished their stock of rifles and cartridges by seizing a local arsenal.

Americans And Cubans

General Shafter's troops did not have a good opinion of the Cubans as combatants, but their work had already been done. They realized that they did not have the equipment of the stalwart Americans and understood that when their allies began to fight they were expected to remain in the background to perform any duty assigned them.

Before the Americans landed at Daiquiri the Cuban insurgents had distinguished themselves so gallantly as to win the respect of the Spaniards themselves. Of the march of Gomez and Antonio Maceo from Oriente to Occidente General Slicker said that "it was as notable from a military point of view as that of Sherman to the sea." He placed the two Cuban generals "in the first rank of military capacity."

Concentration Camps

The reconcentration camps of the Spanish General Weyler are shown in their true colours. The author believes that at least 200,000 Cubans died of starvation.

Describing the camp of the Havana Reconcentrados at Los Posos, Joseph A. Springer, the veteran Vice Consul of the United States in Cuba, said: "The misery and sickness prevailing among these reconcentrados, the greater part of them women and children, is simply indescribable, and the mortality among them, due to starvation and fever, frightful." There was an abundance of testimony to the same effect.

An English gentleman who proposed to General Weyler to be admitted to the camp, and as Mr. Weyler refused, he wrote to the author: "We want to see the Camp of the reconcentrados, but the Spaniards, his honesty, loyalty, and enthusiasm, and reliability were simply pearls without price."

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Dollfuss Advocates Corporate State.

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Vienna, To-day.
Several constructions are placed on the speech broadcast last night by the Austrian Chancellor, Dr. Engelbert Dollfuss, hinting at his future programme. But while Dr. Dollfuss announced "the end of Parliamentary liberty," he refrained from mentioning Fascism.
As a social system he advocated a corporate State on Italian lines, replacing the employers' guilds and the employees' trade unions, and it is anticipated that the next Parliament, if it ever reassembles, will be composed of Government nominees representing all walks of society.
"We repudiate terrorism, but we must govern with authority," declared Dr. Dollfuss.
Despite the precariousness of Dr. Dollfuss's position, it may safely be said that the majority of the Austrians will back his opposition to the violent penetration of the Nazis. Hence his political opponents refrain from open hostility stop.
To blend his supporters, Dr. Dollfuss has founded the "Fatherland Front" with a variant of the Swastika as the emblem.—Reuter.

FLY CAUSES TRAM CRASH.

Vienna.

Two trams-cars collided on the Reichsbrücke bridge here—and the cause was a fly!
The fly flew into the eye of the driver of one of the tram-cars. The driver raised one hand to remove it. The other hand remained on the "full speed" handle.
And it was at full speed that the tram-car crashed into another, which had halted on the line in front.—Reuter.

PORTHOS MEETS THE TYPHOON

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turned and cruised about for 40 minutes, owing to lack of visibility.
At 6.50 the ship reached Green Island, where she anchored, no pilot being available at the time. She finally made the wharf at 8 a.m.
Captain Clarice stated that he came in with the Cremer, of the Koninklijke Paketvaart Maatschappij, the only ship which he saw after running into the typhoon. He could have made port on time, he said, but was taking no risks.
He mentioned also that he had met with torrential rains all the thing at this time of year.

PORT VALE AGAIN BEAT BURY

Hull Share Four Goals With Bradford C.

ACCRINGTON BEAT GATESHEAD

London, To-day.
Port Vale followed up their 4-1 home win against Bury earlier in the season with a 3-0 triumph yesterday to secure their first away points in three games in the Second Division of the English Soccer League. It was Bury's second successive home defeat, Lincoln City winning on Saturday.
Hull City have taken three points from Bradford City this season. Yesterday they followed up their away win by the odd goal by a draw of four goals-all.

Accrington Stanley maintained their 100 per cent home record when they beat Gateshead by 5 goals to 2 yesterday. Gateshead have secured only one point from their four away matches.
Results as cable by Reuter were:

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Hull	2	Bradford C. 2
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Accrington	5	Gateshead 2

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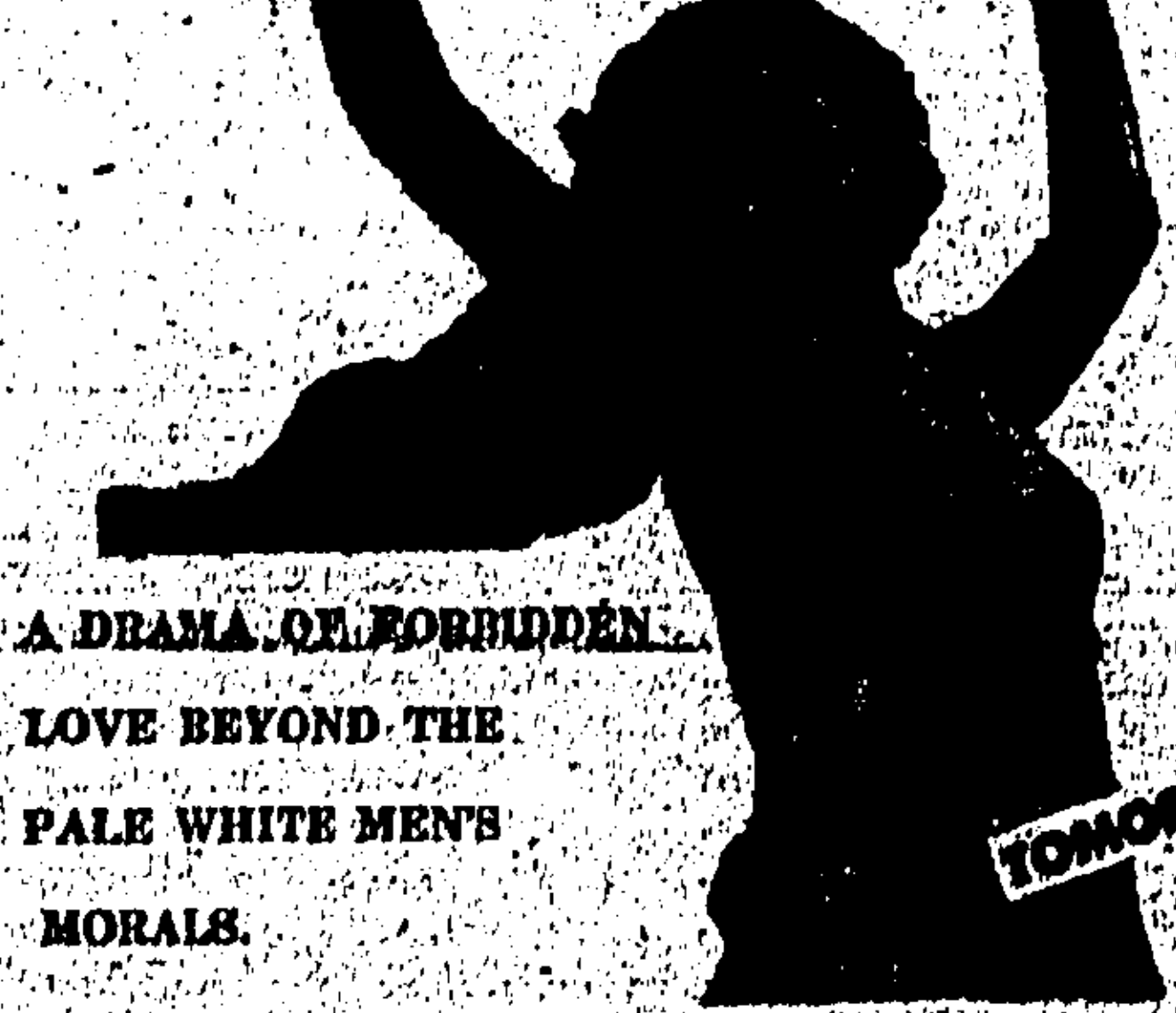


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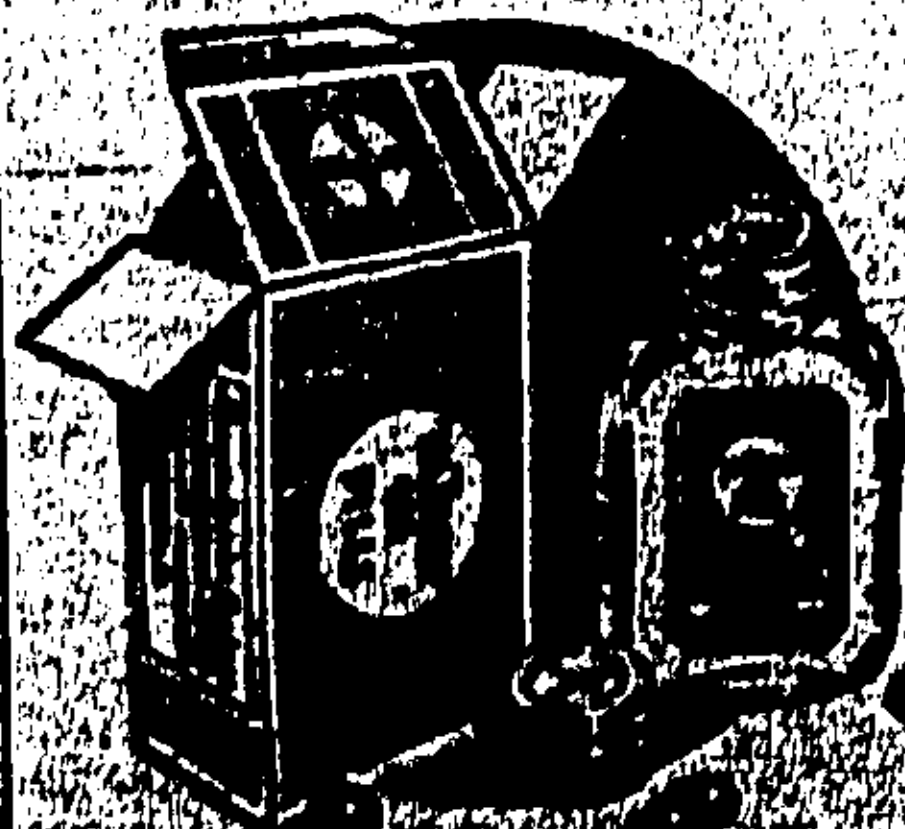
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